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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The Samoan islands are to be divided between Germany and the United States; Great Britain gets the Tonga island and parts of the Solomon group. —An agreement between Germany and Great Britain has been reached for a division of the so called neutral zone in South Africa. —The United Daughters of the Confederacy are in convention at Richmond, Va.; tablets to the Davis family were unveiled in St. Paul's church; the monuments in Hollywood cemetery will be unveiled to-day. —Safe in the office of Sheriff Hughes, at Hillsboro, N. C., robbed of $5,000 in cash. —Unofficial returns show election of Nash, Republican, Governor of Ohio, by 49,205 plurality. —The New York Board of Trade will petition Congress to enact a law establishing the gold dollar as a standard and measure of value. —Goebel still claims his election as Governor of Kentucky. —The situation in South Africa is unchanged; Gen. White still maintains his position at Ladysmith; British troops have reoccupied Colenso and are advancing cautiously toward Ladysmith; the troop ships have not yet arrived. —New York markets: Money on call firm at 7@12 per cent., last loan offered at 12 per cent; cotton steady; middling uplands 7 13-16c; flour easy and more active, without quotable change in prices; wheat—spot dull; No. 2 red 74½c.; corn—spot firm but quiet; No. 2, 40½c.; rosin dull; spirits turpentine quiet at 50½@51c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 8.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 51 degrees; 8 P. M., 53 degrees; maximum, 63 degrees; minimum, 48 degrees; mean, 55 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .33; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .34

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 6 0 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—For North Carolina; Fair, except showers near the coast Thursday and Friday; fresh northeasterly winds.

Port Almanac---Nov. 9.

Sun Rises	6 33 A. M
Sun Sets	4 54 P. M.
Day's Length	10 21 M.
High Water at Southport.	12 01 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington.	3.31 A. M

Will Hon. R. Z. Linney snatch a few spare moments and tell Hon. Thos. Settle "who struck Billy Patterson?"

During the past four months this Government spent for pensions and war expenses $184,000,000. Expansion comes high.

They have a compulsory school law in Chicago, but they also have about 30,000 children for whom there is no room in the schools.

A lot of fashion reformers in London are trying to sit down on the plug hat. But at last accounts the plug was holding its own and was in good shape.

One of the quadrupedal attractions at the Georgia fairs is a 1,085 pound hog. This one gets away with the ex-Governor of Texas, and would take a larger collar.

Mr. Marconi says he will soon have his system of wireless telegraphy in operation between Key West and Havana, a distance of eighty miles. It will require vertical wires at each side 150 feet high.

They have found the "oldest woman in the world." She is in Hawaii, and her age is 124 years (corroborated), from which we infer that there are women there who will own up to their age after they pass twenty.

Some prehistoric corn has been dug up in Illinois. This compels us to acknowledge the corn that Illinois is not only ahead on the corn business but also on the jar, although the story may somewhat jar credulity.

The Philadelphia *Record* thinks that a city which can afford a $2,000,000 city hall, which will cost $5,000,000 more to complete, can afford to pay a decent salary to its school teachers, without haggling over it.

The latest thing in Paris is an artificial oyster, which is neatly stowed away in a second hand shell. It is said that when disguised in lemon juice or vinegar it can't be told from the sure enough oyster. Its principal recommendations are that it is cheap and perfectly "harmless."

General Wheeler says "if our troops were withdrawn from the Philippines the natives would go to killing each other." Well wouldn't that be better than having our fellows killing them? Will we have to keep troops there always to serve as police to prevent them from knifing or knocking each other on the head?

LOCAL DOTS.

— The Norwegian steamship *Skuld*, 913 tons, Capt. Oslen, sailed from Ghent for Wilmington yesterday

— The schooner *Alma*, Captain Small, cleared yesterday afternoon with lumber and brick for Ponce, Porto Rico.

— Hall Officer H. H. Woebse is taking a vacation this week, and his place is being supplied by Policeman B. R. King.

— The governing board of L'Agile Cotillon Club has decided to give their series of germans for the season of 1899-1900 on the fourth Friday evenings of each month.

— The steamer *Seabright* did not clear as usual yesterday for Little River, S. C., on account of having her hull and boiler inspected, which will be conducted to-day or to morrow.

— The prayer meeting at the First Presbyterian Church will be held at 7.30 o'clock this evening instead of 8 o'clock, in order to accommodate those who may wish to attend the Y. M. C. A. entertainment.

— There was an advance of prices in the cotton market yesterday. There were sales of a few bales on a basis of 7⅞ cents for middling and a few transactions were unofficially reported as high as 7¼ cents.

— The hose rack at Engine Company No. 2, under the direction of Foreman W. A. Canady, was yesterday repaired in a substantial way and enlarged to carry 1,000 feet of hose, instead of 800 feet, as heretofore.

— H. J. Love, a young negro employed at Savage's wood yard, is laid up at the City Hospital with three of his fingers badly lacerated, as a result of contact with a buzz saw, which he was operating. One of the fingers had to be amputated.

— A novel entertainment for the benefit of Fifth Street Methodist Church will be given at the residence of Mr. B. F. Penny, No. 109 South Seventh street, on Friday night. It will be a "mock marriage" by pupils of Mrs. Penny's Sunday School class.

— Henry Wright, the colored boy arrested for the robbery of the shoe shop of James Bennett, colored, was bound over to the Criminal Court by the Mayor at yesterday's session of the Police Court. William Martin, a country darkey, was let off with costs in a case against him for drunkenness.

— Mr. George Brooks, of Tubbs, Brunswick county, has received the contract from the mate of the steamship *Catharine Whiting* for saving part of the wrecked cargo of lumber' which for the most part has drifted ashore near his place from the derelict vessel, which is aground and partly submerged about one mile from the shore. Mr. Brooks will receive 50 per cent. as his salvage.

— Three young men of the Fifth Ward were arraigned in Justice Fowler's court yesterday on charges preferred by Rev. Mr. Streeter for disturbing a religious congregation of Second Adventists in a meeting held in the old Onslow railroad shed in the southern section of the city. The case was transferred from Justice McGowan, and left open for further testimony until 10 o'clock this morning.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. L. Gore—Apples.
Opera House—Mabel Paige.
Masonic—Meeting Wil. Lodge.
Sneed Fuller Co.—Biggest bargains.
Opera House—Dan Packard Opera Company and Orchestra.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

U. C. Ellis—Photographic bargains.

Ariel Ladies' Sextette.

The Ariel Ladies' Sextette that appears in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. to night are certain to have a royal welcome, as the box sheet is considerably mutilated—the largest number of reserved seats in the history of the auditorium. The management states that the programme commences promptly at 8.30 and all late comers are asked to remain on the outside until the number then on the platform is through. No seat will be reserved after 7 o'clock; only admission tickets will be on sale at the door. Until then, tickets for the one entertainment, not course tickets, may be reserved or purchased at Yates'.

Cotton Factory for Newbern.

Mr. D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, president of the D. A. Tompkins Company and one of the owners of the Charlotte *Observer*, was here yesterday attending the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central railroad. He left yesterday afternoon for Newbern where he went upon invitation of Mr. P. H. Pelletier, president of the Newbern Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Tompkins has been invited to go to Newbern to talk cotton factory, as the business men of that city are interested in organizing a company to build a factory.

A Queer Illumination.

There was some curiosity on the part of observant persons and quite a little consternation on the part of the superstitious last night about 10 o'clock on account of a brilliant illumination in the northwestern sky, evidently the reflection of a mammoth fire some distance from the city. It passed entirely from view about 11 o'clock, but was plainly discernible all over the city for an hour previous to that time.

THROUGH TRAINS TO THE NORTH.

Efforts of Merchants' Association to Secure Better Passenger Service Over the Atlantic Coast Line.

The Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association met yesterday afternoon ar 3.30 o'clock in the association's rooms in the Seaboard Air Line building.

Col. Wm. A. Johnson, president of the association and chairman of the board, was not present, having gone to Clinton. In his stead, Mr. M W. Jacobi, vice president, presided. Mr. P. Heinsberger, the secretary, was on hand.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, and the usual routine business was transacted.

Secretary Heinsberger made a report for the committee appointed to co-operate with the committee of the Masonic Temple Corporation in securing reduced passenger rates for the Masonic Fair, to be held in the new Temple from November 20th to December 2d. The report was to the effect that satisfactory arrangements in this connection had been made. The report was received and the committee discharged.

The chairman called for the report of the special committee appointed to confer with the Atlantic Coast Line authorities with reference to having a through train to and from Wilmington and the North. Mr. James Sprunt, chairman of the committee, thereupon made the following report:

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 4, 1899.

W. A Johnson, Esq., President Merchants' Association of Wilmington:

SIR—Your committee appointed to confer with the General Manager of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad for the purpose of obtaining better passenger accommodation on through trains from New York and intermediate cities to Wilmington, respectfully report that two conferences have been held with Major Kenly, who received us courteously.

Our first proposal, that one of the through daily trains from the North be sent by the old route, via Wilmington, instead of by the short cut, to the South, was met by a decided negative. The general manager stated that such a change would be fatal to their traffic arrangement for both passenger and mail service, and that it was not to be entertained for a moment.

Our second proposal was for a through Pullman car service from Washington to Wilmington to arrive at 9.45 A. M., the passengers to be undisturbed at Wilson and the car to remain overnight at that junction; also that a through sleeper be sent from Wilmington by the evening train, which would connect at Wilson without disturbing the Wilmington passengers at the unseasonable hour of 11 P. M. To these suggestions the General Manager objected because he said the trains were already as heavy as they could be run on the schedule and it was impossible to increase their capacity, the limit of which was already reached. He promised, however, to consider the matter carefully, and if it is possible to afford better facilities he will do so within a reasonable time.

Our conference developed some interesting features with reference to local trains. Major Kenly stated that the Atlantic Coast Line was running six daily passenger accommodation trains to Wilmington, only one of which has been at all profitable; they also employ a large force of skilled and unskilled laborers, besides many expert employes, clerks, accountants, etc., the cost of which enters largely into the revenues of Wilmington; also that it was the policy of his company to provide for the merchants and travellers of Wilmington every reasonable facility consistent with sound business principles.

We are disappointed in our unsuccessful efforts to secure the benefits or conveniences desired, but we hope that after reflection the General Manager of the Atlantic Coast Line may find some way to mitigate or overcome the discomfort to Wilmington passengers of changing cars at Wilson at inconvenient hours.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES SPRUNT,
C. W. WORTH,
WM. E SPRINGER,
B. H. J. AHRENS,
E. P. BAILEY,
Committee.

Mr. Sprunt, in presenting the report, said General Manager Kenly received the committee very courteously and expressed himself as anxious to comply with the wishes of the Wilmington merchants as far as it could possibly be done, and that he hoped to so re-adjust the schedule by Spring as to make it satisfactory.

Mr. George R. French moved that the report of the committee be received with thanks, that it be considered as "progress" and that the committee be continued. The motion was adopted.

There being no further business the board adjourned.

At the Opera House.

"The Little Cadet," a romantic musical comedy in three acts, was presented last night by Miss Paige and her company of popular players, and was much enjoyed by all who attended. The audience was not as large as the play deserved. The play was the strongest presented as yet; each performer ably filling the role assigned.

Miss Paige as usual appeared in the title role and was the same charming little lady as on previous nights. The specialties were very good, the singing of Miss Jessie Loraine assisted by Master Johnny Heby, the phenomenal boy tenor, deserves special mention.

The matinee, notwithstanding the inclement weather, was very well patronized. The company presented the laughable three act comedy "*A Bachelor's Dilemma*"

To-night the company will present "Miss Juliet" and this afternoon another dime matinee will be given.

The East Carolina Real Estate Agency, offers for sale the timber on a tract of land on North East River. It includes over one million feet of fine Cypress timber. See advertisement.

CHRYSANTHEMUM WEDDING.

Mr. Carl E. Schachner and Miss Mattie C. Davis United in Marriage Yesterday Afternoon.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E H. Davis, 903 North Fourth street, was the scene of a beautiful chrysanthemum wedding yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, their lovely daughter, Miss Mattie Caroline Davis, being wedded to Mr. Carl E. Schachner, of Charlotte. The marriage took place in the parlor, which was handsomely decorated with chrysanthemums.

The marriage ceremony was impressively performed by the Rev. Father Francis, O. S B., of Charlotte, in accordance with the holy rites of the Catholic Church, and the happy affair was witnessed by quite a gathering of relatives and intimate friends. The bride's attractive sister, Miss Minnie Gold Davis, was maid of honor and Mr. Julius Schachner, of Charlotte, brother of the groom, was best man.

The beautiful bride was attired in a handsome tailor made travelling dress of gray cloth, with hat to match, and carried a pretty bouquet of bride roses and maidenhair fern. The maid of honor wore a becoming dress of green henrietta trimmed in white.

After the marriage the couple were showered with felicitations and soon afterwards they repaired to the Seaboard Air Line station and took the 3.05 P. M. train for Atlanta and other Southern cities. After Tuesday next they will be at home at 606 North Church street, Charlotte.

Mr. Schachner carries away one of Wilmington's most estimable young ladies, and is to be heartily congratulated upon his good fortune. The STAR wishes Mr. and Mrs. Schachner a long and happy life.

The couple gave a reception on Tuesday night and a large number of their friends were in attendance. Choice refreshments were served and the affair was quite a delightful one. There was an array of very handsome and valuable presents from friends South and North.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. C. H. Durham, of Rocky Point, spent yesterday in the city.

— Mr. John Fields, Jr., of Field's Creek, arrived in the city yesterday.

— Mr. W. P. Pate, of Goldsboro, came down to the city yesterday evening.

— Mr. T. H. McNeill and Mr. C. L. Wilson, of Dunn, were arrivals in the city yesterday.

— Mr. J. L. Hill, of the Hill Boot and Shoe Company, of Boston, is here, spending a week.

— Miss Effie Davis, of Southport, returned to her home yesterday after a visit to friends in the city.

— Mr. J. W. DeVane, of Daughton, Pender county, was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— The many friends of Mr. Geo. Harriss will regret to hear that he is critically ill at his residence in this city.

— The Rev. W. E. Hocut, of Kenansville, who has been spending a few days in the city, returned home yesterday.

— Mr. Albert Wilkins, of Durham, N. C., arrived last evening to accept a position in the Postal Telegraph Company's up-town office.

— Mr. W. I. Wright, of Ingold, Sampson county, is among the number of wholesale purchasers in the city. The STAR acknowledges a pleasant call from him yesterday.

— The friends of Lieutenant of Police F. T. Skipper will regret to know that he was for a part of yesterday unable on account of sickness to be at his desk at the City Hall.

— Mr. George W. Prince, superintendent of the Virginia Life Insurance Co., has returned from Virginia, where he was called on the sad mission of attending the funeral of his brother, Mr. R. A. Prince.

— Rev. Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, left yesterday afternoon for Hartsville, S. C., to assist in a series of revival services in progress there at the Baptist church. Rev. J. J. Payseur, of Brooklyn Baptist Church, will conduct the Thursday night prayer meeting services at the First church.

Grand Master Did Not Arrive.

Col. Noble F. Martin, manager of the big Masonic Fair, was very much disappointed last night that Grand Master R. J. Noble, of Selma, who was expected to arrive to complete the arrangements for the fair and to dedicate the temple, did not arrive. Mr. James C. Munds received a telegram from him at the last moment stating that it would be impossible for him to come so soon as he expected, but it is certain that he will arrive in a very few days. In the meantime, Col. Martin is leaving no stone unturned to make of the fair what has been assured all along—an immense success. The fair opens, as has been stated frequently, on November 20th.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure prompt and regular delivery

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CAROLINA CENTRAL. STOCKHOLDERS MET.

Annual Session Held Yesterday—Directors Chosen for Ensuing Year—Another Meeting December 13th.

Pursuant to adjournment October 5th, the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company met yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in the Front street office of the company. A large majority of the stock was either represented in person or by proxy and the meeting was a very harmonious one.

Among the stockholders present were Judge L. R. Watts, of Portsmouth, Va., Capt. John H. Sharp, Secretary and Treasurer, of Portsmouth, Va., Mr. D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, N. C., Messrs. G. J. Boney, James C. Stevenson, John F. McNair and J. V. Grainger, of Wilmington.

The annual reports of the president and treasurer were presented and received.

The following named stockholders were elected as directors for the ensuing year:

Messrs. John S. Williams and Edward B. Addison, of Richmond; J. Augustus Johnson, J. Brander Watkins, C. Sidney Shepard, of New York; R C. Davidson, R C. Hoffman, of Baltimore; John F. McNair, James C. Stevenson, G. J. Boney, of Wilmington; D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte.

Judge Watts and Capt. Sharp came down from Portsmouth on a special train at 8 45 o'clock yesterday morning and left for home on the regular train on the Carolina Central at 3.05 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They were entertained during a part of their stay here by a drive over the city.

The meeting of stockholders adjourned to assemble again in this city on Wednesday, December 13th, at which time it is probable that there will also be a meeting of the board of directors for the selection of officers of the road for the ensuing year.

President John Skelton Williams and Vice President and General Manager E. St. John were chosen directors to represent the Carolina Central's interest in the Wilmington Railway Bridge Company.

It is expected, also, that upon this occasion President John Skelton Williams and Vice President E St. John, of the S. A. L. system, will be in attendance. They will be entertained while here by the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. J. C. Stevenson, chairman of the committee to arrange the reception for Mr. Williams and his party, in response to a letter in which on behalf of the business men of Wilmington he tendered the reception, has received the following letter:

PORTSMOUTH, VA., Nov. 7, '99

Mr. J. C Stevenson, Chairman, care of J. C. Stevenson Co., Wilmington, N C.

Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of Nov. 6th, and to extend on behalf of our president and myself, our thanks for the attention which it is proposed to show the officials of the Seaboard Air Line on their next visit to Wilmington. I shall be glad to advise you of the date when this is positively determined, and I am sure that we shall be glad to meet the business men of your beautiful city. I am glad to note that you state that it will be altogether informal and that it is tendered merely for the purpose of having the business men of Wilmington become acquainted with our president and other officials.

Very sincerely,
E ST. JOHN,
V P. and G. M.

NEW CEMETERY COMPANY.

Organized This Week and Site Purchased South of the City—Officers Were Chosen.

A stock company was this week formed for the purchase of a site for a new cemetery and for the operation of the same. The plans for the organization of this enterprise have been on foot for some time, but the projectors were dilatory in making public their arrangements for business reasons. It can now be stated positively, however, that all the plans have matured and the site purchased to the south of the city on the Federal Point road just beyond Jump and Run creek.

The purchase of the company is ten acres with privilege of more, and the site is an ideal one, being a wide stretch of rolling surface with natural drainage.

In the company are twenty stockholders, and while they are as yet unprepared to make an announcement of the amount of capital stock, a member of the board of directors tells a STAR representative that there is ample capital behind the project to make it an assured success.

Officers of the company and a board of directors have been chosen as follows:

President—J. W. S. Harvey.
Secretary—T. C. Green.
Treasurer—J. C. Walton.
Directors—B. R. King (chairman) W. H. Biddle, E. B. Horton, J. W. Mintz and J. E. Smith.

Another meeting of stockholders will be held Monday night and the organization more thoroughly perfected.

Marriage Last Night.

At the home of Mrs. Lizzie Ellers, No. 507 Harnett street, last night at 8 o'clock, Mr. Edward Ellers was united in marriage to Mrs. Emma Underhill, Justice J. M. McGowan, officiating. It was a quiet affair and only personal friends of the bride and groom were present.

— Mr. Norris P. Eccleston, of Jonesboro, was here yesterday.

HOME WITH HIS BRIDE.

Mr. J. T. Burke, of Wilmington, Wedded to Miss C. Maud Ray, of Raleigh, Yesterday Morning.

Mr. Jesse Thomas Burke, of Wilmington, and Miss C. Maud Ray, a charming young lady of Raleigh, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. A. F. Ray, 108½ Fayetteville street, Raleigh. The parlor was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and cut flowers, and there was quite an assemblage of relatives and friends to witness the nuptials.

The Rev. A. M. Sims officiated and impressively performed the ceremony. Miss Hattie Ray, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. J. W. Burke, of Goldston, N. C, brother of the groom, was best man.

The bride was married in a tailor-made travelling dress of bottle-green cloth, with hat to match, and carried a lovely bouquet of bride roses and maidenhair fern. The maid of honor's bouquet was La France roses.

The couple were the recipients of a lot of handsome presents, and after receiving the congratulations of their friends they took the 10.45 A. M. train for Wilmington. They arrived here by the Atlantic Coast Line at 5.50 o'clock last evening, and repaired to Mr. Burke's cozy home at 209 South Sixth street, where a number of friends called last evening and felicitated them upon their happy union.

To morrow night, from 8 till 11 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Burke will give a reception at their residence.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice November 8th, 1899.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Charlotte Dixey, Lizzie Dulaney. Rachel English. Lucy Gore, Martha Garrison, John L Harris. Isabella Johnson, Polly Jackson, Vina James, M J King. Ethel Murray. Maggie Miller, Violet Miller. Leo Pharmer. Lucy Ann Reaves. Virginia Steadman.

MEN'S LIST.

C C Blake, Dr B E Bonts, I & L Barden. C A Creech, Samie Charles, Simmons Fish Co. J N Dubarry. Fletcher Flowers, Ed Farren, J E Fergeson, Paul Green, Charlie George, David Guion, John Gillum, Lafayette A Gibs. Bishop Higgins, David Henderson, Jack Hauge. Edward Johnsohn. Maj J R Kelley. Henry Loid. C V McIntyre, I W Mason. Robt Ausley. L L Roberson, G A Rogers. Harry Quinn. B S Shaw, B O Sorsby, J Miner Setton. Jim McMillan. Nick Wright, Morgan T Wright, T F Watkins.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

Florence Baitey, M L Williams.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

DAN PACKARD OPERA COMPANY.

Will Open Week's Engagement at the Wilmington Opera House Monday Night.

During next week Wilmington will be visited by one of the largest and most complete operatic organizations in the South—the famous Dan Packard Opera Company and orchestra numbering over thirty-five persons—which commences its engagement on Monday night with an elaborate presentation of "The Mascot." At this performance a lady holding a special ladies' ticket will be admitted free when accompanied by a person holding a paid 50 cent ticket. The appearance of such a company as this in this city is out of the ordinary, and it will be a musical event of considerable note, as it has been in Richmond, Norfolk and other cities where the company has made a hit and played continued engagements.

The cast is composed, one and all, of well known artists, among them Gilbert Clayton, Charlotte Gilman, Monte Walker, Warwick Ganor, Charles N. Holmes, Josephine Kirkwood, Millie Bellani, Jessie Haylands and others. The chorus numbers over twenty voices, and is robust in voice.

Seats will be on sale at Gerken's Saturday morning. Prices 15, 25, 35 50 cents.

Enjoyable Affair.

The sociables under the auspices of St Thomas' Catholic Church are always enjoyable, and the one last night at Hibernian Hall was no exception to the rule. There was a large attendance and the evening passed away very pleasantly for everybody. A band furnished music and about thirty couples whiled away the time with dancing. During the evening the ladies served choice refreshments.

The entertainment was in charge of a committee composed as follows: Mrs. M. O'Brien, Mrs. P. Donlan, Mr. John Sweeney, Mrs. H. A. Foardman, Mrs. John Reilly, Miss Maggie Darby, Mr. M. O'Brien, Mr. T. Donlan, Mr. H. A. Foardman and Mr. R. C. Banks.

Stealing Brasses.

Joe Warrock and Willie Best, two pickaninnies, were arrested by Policeman Barden yesterday afternoon on suspicion of having stolen a large brass cuff, which they were exposing for sale at a junk shop on Fourth street between Bladen and Harnett. When accosted by the officer, one of the boys ran but was at length overhauled and his conduct on this occasion will be urged as evidence of his guilt at to-day's session of the municipal court. The boys are thought to be implicated also in a number of other petty robberies.

The East Carolina Real Estate Agency has excellent facilities for selling farms and timbered lands. It advertises all property and makes only a nominal charge unless a sale is made. For terms etc., address R. G. Grady & Co., Burgaw, N. C.

Biggest Bargain of all. $1.98
Takes a beautiful Rattan Rocker.
FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. You will have to see these to appreciate them. REGULAR PRICE....$3.50.
Lot of Glassware just opened Tumblers from 4 cents up.
Look at our immense line of Furniture for your needs.
THE SNEED-FULLER COMPANY.
nov 9 tf CORNER SECOND AND MARKET STREETS.

ST. JOHN'S HALL, Nov. 9 h, 1899.
Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M.
EMERGENT COMMUNICATION this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock, for work in Third Degree.
Visiting brethren welcome.
By order of W. M.
THOS. F. BAGLEY, Secretary.
nov 9 1t

IT IS A MISTAKE
As stated in yesterday's "Messenger" that there are no Business Houses F R RENT. one of the most desirable st res in the city now occupied by Fishblate Clothing Company
will be vacant from Oct. 1st.
sep 26 tf th th sa

Ariel Ladies Sextette.
Y. C. A. AUDITORIUM,
Nov. 9th Thursday
Course tickets, 5 attractions, $1.00.
Single tickets. 50c.
Reserved seats at Yates' extra Wednesday and Thursday.
First of the Popular Course. nov 7 3t

Drs. Davis & Hawes, Dentists,
Room No. 1, Masonic Temple.
nov 7 tf

The Drummer and the Lady.
A drummer said, "The finest and best selected, cheapest stock in the South."
A lady said, "For anything fine you will have to go to Mr. Parker's."
I duplicate special bargains with better goods at a less price See if what I say is not so before you snap at "bargains."
N. F. PARKER,
Furniture and Furniture Novelties,
oct 25 tf No. 17 South Front street.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.
Opera House.
One Week of Splendid Opera, Commencing MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13.
The famous
Dan Packard Opera Company and Orchestra.
35 Artists, Superb Cast, Great Chorus, Handsome Costumes. Presenting
Monday Night, "THE MASCOT."
Prices, 50, 35, 25 and 15 cents.
Seats on sale at Gerken's cigar store Saturday Nov. 11th. nov 9 4t

APPLES, APPLES.
20 bbls Nice Apples.
25 bags C. C. Nuts.
300 bags Coffee.
63 bbls Rice.
100 bbls Sugar.
99 bbls Mullets.
5 bbls Mullet Roe.
D. L. GORE,
120, 122 and 124 North Water street,
nov 9 tf Wilmington, N. C.

OPERA HOUSE
One Week, Commencing Monday, November 6.
Idol of the South,
MABEL PAIGE,
supported by
MARSHALL'S MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY.
USUAL GRAND DIME MATINEE THIS AFTERNOON.
To-night, "Miss Juliet."
Prices, 10, 20, 30 cents.
Commencing Wednesday, Special Matinees every afternoon for Ladies and Children. Admission, 10 cents. nov 9 tf

Eczema.
For severe cases of Eczema and other forms of skin disease of an obstinate nature Barium Rock Spring Water is famous as the best remedy.
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For sale by
JAS. D. NUTT,
nov 8 tf Wilmington, N. C.

NEW CROP NUTS.
2,000 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
5,000 New C. C. Nuts.
1,000 Pounds Grated C. C. Nuts.
4,000 Pounds New Raisins.
100 Barrels Baldwin Apples,
1,200 Bushels New Peanuts.
6,000 Pounds New Rice.
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2,400 Pounds White Fish.
1,800 Bushels R. P. Oats.
800 Bushels Rye and Wheat.
We have no old holiday goods to work off.
W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer,
oct 29 tf Wilmington, N. C

All this week
I will have daily consignments of
The Choicest Fruits
and the most elegant selections in
Fine Candies.
Our Holiday Goods are beginning to arrive, and the new customers being made at my store daily is astonishing competitors.
Let me have your orders and you are assured of satisfaction.
J. W. PLUMMER, JR.,
Inter-State 'Phone 132. 204 Princess street. nov 5 tf

The Retailers' Best Leader
FLOUR
"Q Q" BRAND "Q Q"
Try one barrel as a flyer.
Its Immense sales attest its
POPULARITY.
We have consignments and shippers wanting returns.
400 Barrels Choice September Mullets.
2,000 Bushels Texas Seed Oats.
As long as they last you don't want to buy elsewhere.
Vollers & Hashagen,
Wholesale Provisions.
oct 29 tf

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, &c.
WE ARE AGENTS FOR
LIBBEY'S CELEBRATED CUT GLASS
of which we have the largest and best selected line ever brought to this city.
Nice New Decorated Dinner Sets, ranging from
9.00 to 30.00.
New Goods daily received, which will be sold at prices that will merit your patronage.
Country Merchants would do well to get our prices before placing orders.
O. P. CAZAUX & CO.
oct 29 tf

WINTER VICIS.
Lace and Congress for Gentlemen.
Douglass made them.
See his Boys' SHOES, also.
Ladies, Misses and Children can all be fitted if they will try at our store. Be sure and try before you buy elsewhere.
MERCER & EVANS,
63½ steps east from corner Front and Princess.
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I have for sale
a nice little house
on South Third street
For $750.
CUMMING,
The Real Estate Agent and Notary Public.
oct 26 tf

They Look Well.
I take pleasure in calling your attention to the residence of Mr. E S Martin, 320 Dock street; Mr. Joe D. Smith's, Third and Walnut streets, and Mr. A. David's, Seventh and Market streets. All these houses have just been painted with "Harrison's" Celebrated Paints, Oils, Varnish, Wood and Varnish Stains.
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SOLE AGENT,
Grocer and Ship Chandler,
105 North Water street.
He carries a full stock.
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Having concluded negotiations for the purchase of this superior and well established brand of Soda, manufactured by The Roanoke Chemical Company, we will continue its manufacture. We are now prepared to fill the orders of the trade for this popular Goods, put up in packages of all sizes to suit the trade.
Reliable Brand of Soda.
We will also continue the manufacture of our own "Reliable Brand" of Soda, which is guaranteed to be as good as any on the market. Goods put up in packages to suit.
Your trade is solicited.
B. F. KEITH CO.
128 and 130 North Water street.
oc 23 1m D&w Wilmington, N. C.

New Meat Market.
This is to inform the many friends of Mr. Johnnie Hints that he has completed arrangements to go into the Meat Business under the firm name of J. H. Hints & Co., on stalls Nos. 3 and 4, north side of Market House, formerly occupied by C. S. Garrett & Co., where by polite attention and dispatch he hopes for a full share of the patronage of his old friends.
J. H. HINTZ.
Inter-State 'Phone 368, Bell 'Phone 136.
sep 24 tf

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THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, $5.00 year, $2.50 for six months, $1.25 for three months, 50 cents for one month to mail subscribers. Delivered to city subscribers at the rate of 45 cents per month for any period from one month to one year.

ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY)—One square one day, $1.00; two days, $1.75; three days, $2.50; four days, $3.00; five days, $3.50; one week, $4.00; two weeks, $6.50; three weeks, $8.50; one month, $10.00; two months, $17.00; three months, $24.00; six months, $40.00; twelve month, $60.00. Ten lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square.

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Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 9.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONTENTION SUSTAINED.

The gold standard people are building great hopes on the annually increasing output of the gold mines to supply the metallic money of the world, thus dispensing with the use of silver, of which they seem to be about as anxious to get rid as they are of the greenbacks. This is one of the principal pleas they make for absolute declaration for the gold standard, and making all money, silver included, redeemable in gold. With the increase of gold for some years past kept up possibly there may be gold enough eventually to supply the world's demand for money, and it is not at all improbable that before many years the output of gold may exceed the output of silver, and silver become really the more precious of the two metals. What then?

The reason alleged for the demonetization of silver was that it was becoming so abundant as to have materially depreciated in value, to such an extent as to be practically worthless as a money metal. If the value of money depends upon the quantity in sight or in prospect of the metal of which it is composed, then will not this be as logically applicable to gold as to silver? And if so, may not gold become so depreciated that it will cease to be valuable enough for coin, and silver or some other metal not so abundant have to take its place? Of course we do not expect any such flood of gold as that, but logically any argument used against silver as a money metal, based on its abundance, will apply to gold, when it too becomes as abundant as anticipated.

Some of the gold organs are already looking to the time when by its abundance gold will be depreciated in value and lose its purchasing power. The Springfield *Republican* is one of these. Henry Clews, the New York banker, recently issued a circular stating that what we wanted to keep up prices and good times was a big influx of gold, and he expects this from the increasing product of the world's gold mines. He thinks that with the end of the South African war and the resumption of mining in the Transvaal the world's output will be $300,000,000 a year, which, he says, will furnish a legitimate basis for the inflation of prices. Commenting upon this the Springfield *Republican*, which does not believe in inflation, says:

"The writer of the circular was an especilly savage critic of the democratic sheme of silver remonetization, inflation and repudiation in 1896, and he is just as savage about it now as ever. But he welcomes inflation and repudiation through a greatly increased and cheapened gold circulation as something most desirable and legitimate. It must, of course, be a matter of supreme indifference to the holder of the dollar—whether he be wage-earner, fixed salary man or money lender, or one who lives on income from investments—whether the dollar is cheapened to a particular extent through a rise in prices from large additions of gold or large additions of silver to the monetary circulation. The essential fact in either case is that his income, dollar by dollar, has been reduced in purchasing power, his real wages have been cut down, the debt owing to him has been "repudiated" to a like extent.

Prices in the United States have within two or three years advanced some 33 per cent, which means that the gold dollar has been cheapened proportionately, and debts have been repudiated to the same extent. But even this is not enough for Henry Clews, of honest money fame in Wall street. He wants more repudiation. He wants a further inpour of new gold, which would further inflate prices and cut down real wages, salaries and fixed incomes, and which would further scale down debts. Bryan demands no more than this, and his way of bringing it about differs in no essential particular from this Wall street way.

The *Republican* sees the force of this gold inflation plea, and applies it, practically asking what is the difference between gold inflation and silver inflation. Mr. Clews, who doesn't like silver any better than the *Republican* does, believes that way to keep up prices as to inflate the value of currency, based on gold and make it so abundant that people can afford to pay more for what they buy than they do now. Isn't this sustaining the free silver contention that prices are governed by the value of money in circulation, that high prices when there is abundance of money to pay them, mean active markets and prosperous times?

When the silver agitation was on the advocates of free silver contended that one of the causes, and the principal cause, of falling prices and business depression was the demonetization of silver and the consequent contraction of the volume of money, resulting in the appreciation of gold and the depreciation of everything bought with money. The silver demonetizers denied this, although every one who wasn't too blind to see or who was honest enough to acknowledge the truth, knew it was true, and now Mr. Clews, the gold standard banker, practically confesses it when he says the effect of the large increase in the gold supply will be to inflate the volume of money and keep prices up.

But Mr. Clews is right as to the effect he anticipates as a result of an increased volume of money whether that increased volume be realized or or not, and he practically admits that the free silver men who made tbe same contention years ago were right when they protested against the demonetization of silver, and the practical destruction of one half our metallic money, and demanded the restoration of silver as one of our standard moneys. The very prosperity on which we are now congratulating ourselves, and which the gold standard advocates falsely claim as a result of the "confidence" resulting from the "sound money" victory at the last Presidential election, is a proof of this, for it was the volume of money brought into the country by the food stuffs sent abroad to feed the people of other countries, and the money put in circulation by the war with Spain that renewed business activity, stimulated enterprise and created a demand for many products, with corresponding high prices. Unduly contract the volume of currency, take away the foreign demand for our products, and there would be a collapse and a tumble in prices immediately. An abundance of money means good times and high prices, and the more of it the better. There is no danger of a country like this with its 75,000,000 of progressive, industrious and enterprising people having too much. They haven't half as much now as they ought to have.

REALIZING THE SIZE OF IT.

While we have little definite or trustworthy information, but much that is conflicting, from the scene of hostilities in South Africa, it is quite apparent by this time that the British have a tough task before them and that they realize it. It is now confessed that they greatly underestimated both the courage and the resources of the Boers, whom they affected to despise. The reports which we get by way of London are censored reports, and consequently large allowance must be made for the alleged casualties to the Boers; while on the contrary large allowance must also be made for the reports that come through French and German channels, for they lean towards the Boers and doubtless contain a good deal of coloring.

One thing, however, is notable in the English reports, censored as they are, and that is that the British are making savage and implacable war, the great destruction of life in the Boer armies being caused by lyddite shells and earth mines. This is war, but it is butchery all the same. Great Britain will conquer in the end if there be no complications with other governments, because she has the advantage in numbers and resources, but if she does it will be, as Paul Kruger expressed it, "at a cost that will stagger humanity."

TUESDAY'S ELECTIONS.

As far as we can see there are no surprises in the elections that were held last Tuesday, for the Republicans have held the States which they carried in 1896, with the single exception of Maryland, which was redeemed by the Democrats, (that is if the Republicans have carried Kentucky), and the Democrats have held their States. The Democrats would have carried Kentucky if it hadn't been for the fool fight the factions waged against each other, making the carrying of the State by the Republicans a sort of cake walk.

There may and doubtless will be more or less change in the figures that come in later, which will show the gains and losses, and give some idea of the changes in popular sentiment and the effect of the issues that were discussed. But substantially the result leaves us about where we were before the election, each party about holding its own and neither having much to exult over.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup The best remedy for Consumption, Cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping-cough, Croup. Small doses; quick, sure results. *Dr. Bull's Pills cure Constipation. Trial, 20 for 5c.*

DEATH OF DR. SANDERLIN.

The announcement of the death of Dr. George W. Sanderlin, which occurred in Baltimore last Sunday, will be received with sorrow throughout the State, for he was an honored citizen and much beloved by those who knew him. He was State Auditor from 1889 to 1893. Mr. Cleveland appointed him third Auditor of the Treasury, which position he held until after the inauguration of Mr. McKinley, when he resigned. But continued to reside in Washington. As a young man he served in the Confederate army. At the close of the war he studied for the ministry of the Baptist Church and achieved distinction as a brilliant scholar. He remained in the ministry from 1868 till 1876, when he retired from the active ministry on account of failing health. He was an eloquent speaker, a genial, amiable gentleman, and a patriotic and devoted son of North Caroiina.

BOOK NOTICES.

Self Culture for November presents a varied list of contents which the reader will find both interesting and instructive Among other attractive articles is "A Trip to the Klondike," which gives a vivid description of that interesting region. "The World and Its Doings" is, as usual, a condensation of much interesting matter. This number is well il ustrated. Published by the Warren Company, Akron, Ohio.

Four of the leading articles in the November number of *The Review of Reviews*, are "Cecil J. Rhodes; a Character Sketch," by Wm. T. Stead; "England at War with the Boers;" "The Peace Conference and the Monroe Doctrine," and "The Problem of Territorial Expansion," by President Schurman, of the Philippine Commission. Among the other articles is one on "The Toledo Manual Training School," an interesting subject, in view of the attention technical training is attracting in the South. These and other articles are all well illustrated. Address Review of Reviews Co., 13 Astor Place, New York.

During the past twelve months we have sold $4,500,000 worth of locomotives to English railways, and in the same time English locomotive builders have sold about the same amount to other countries. The New York *World* says this is hard to explain satisfactorily. Not at all. Other countries have not caught on to the true inwardness of the American locomotive as the English railway men have. When they do they will buy American locomotives as the English are doing.

Li Hung Chang says the United States should "buy off" Aguinaldo. Li understands the buying business, and being bought, too, and his Oriental optics fail to see the difference as a matter of morality and principle between buying the Sultan of Sulu at one price and Aguinaldo at a somewhat higher price.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

— Greenville *Reflector*: The sheriff of Edgecombe county has loaned a gallows to Sheriff Mooring, upon which to hang Elijah Joyner on Friday, the 10th. The execution will be public. Joyner has professed religion, and on Saturday was baptized in his cell, three colored ministers being present to participate in the ceremonies.

—Gastonia *News*: Messrs. Andrew Sherrill and Ephraim Houser were out hunting birds near Cherryville last Wednesday. They were both watching a covey of birds at the same time and in some way Mr. Houser's gun was discharged, inflicting a wound in Mr. Sherrill's stomach from which he died in about three hours.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: Owing to early frosts, the "top crop" of cotton, that deceptive growth which sometimes pans out, but just as often fails, will not be very heavy in this locality this year. Though the reports continue to indicate a short crop of cotton, the price for the staple does not advance like it was believed a few weeks ago it would. Many buyers made the public announcement a few weeks since that cotton would go to ten cents before January 1st. The prediction still has two months to run, but it now looks as if it hardly get so high.

— Asheboro *Courier*: The tax returns show that there has been a decrease in this county in the number of live stock and cattle during the fiscal year, ending in June, in all except hogs. As compared with the number last year there is an increase in the county of 1 per cent. of hogs; a decrease of 10 per cent. in cows; 19 per cent. decrease in beef cattle; 4 per cent. decrease in horses; 3 per cent. decrease in mules; 22 per cent. decrease in sheep. This shows that cattle and sheep buyers have been active. There is a decrease throughout the State of an average of about 7 per cent. in all kinds of stock and cattle.

— Asheville *Citizen*: Kope Elias, Esq., of Franklin, is in the city. He came here direct from attendance upon a meeting of the directors of the Black Diamond Railway, held at Middlesboro, Ky. This road, for which Mr. Elias procured a charter last Spring, is an important one for the people of Western North Carolina, especially those of Swain and Macon counties. The line will extend from Clay City, Ky., via Jellico, Knoxville, Swain and Macon to Port Royal, S. C., and will have a total length of 550 miles. It is to be built by English capitalists, and will be a double track line. Mr. Elias says the survey will be completed within two weeks, and work on the road will be begun in the Winter or early Spring.

Cold Steel or Death.

"There is but one small chance to save your life and that is through an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvellous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles, and never disappoints. Price 50c at ROBT. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

TWINKLINGS.

— Doctor—"Did your teeth chatter when you had a chill?" Patient—"No; they were on the table."

— He—"What would you do if I should die and leave you?" She—"Leave me how much!"—*Tit-Bits.*

— Lawyer—"Do you swear the collision raised the entire car?" Witness—"Well, it raised everything but the windows."—*Judge.*

— The Heiress (weeping)—"Ah, Adolf, I am wretched! Papa has been speculating and has lost everything." Adolf—"Then, dearest Anna, far be it from me to rob him of you also!"—*Fliegende Blaetter.*

— Attorney—"When did your husband first show signs of insanity, madam?" Wife—"The day he married me. I then discovered he was making only $10 a week."—*Philadelphia North American.*

— Devoted to the Last—"What sized letters do you want me to use for the inscription, madam?" asked the marble cutter. "Oh, use the biggest you've got," replied the widow." "He was awful near sighted."—*Chicago News.*

— Mr. Goodfellow (showing his wife around his counting house)—"And these are the day books!" Mrs. Goodfellow—"Yes! Now show me the night books! Mr. Goodfellow (mystified)—"The night books?" Mrs. Goodfellow—"Yes; those that you have to work over at night and that keep you down here until 2 o'clock in the morning!"—*Puck.*

— Voice at the Telephone—"Is Mr. Billinger there?" Office Boy—"Yes, but he's busy. Who shall I tell him wants to talk with him?" Vice—"I'm m-m m m." Office Boy—"I don't get it. Speak louder, please." Voice—"Tell him he's an old fool. He'll know who it is." Billinger (upon receiving the message)—"You idiot; that's my wife!"—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Brigadier General Fred Funston should confine himself to fighting. In that line he is a daisy, since he returned from the philippines he has talked too much, and thereby proved that a talker he is a conspicuous failure.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— It is now hinted that General Otis is such a sufferer from insomnia that he is practically incapacitated or insane. This would suffice as an excuse for Otis; but how about the Administration at Washington? Why not bring Otis home and send Miles to Manila?—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— Mr. W. S. Witham, of Atlanta, who has the distinction of being the president of 27 banks in Georgia, is advocating the building of small cotton mills in the towns of Georgia. He says it has been demonstrated that cotton mills in the south run by southern men, good dividends and that small mills, with good dividends as the larger ones.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

—— Pittsburg, that furnished most of the influence that produced the outrageous McKinley tin plate duty, is to lose all of her industry in that line. The mills there are to be dismantled. The trust will manufacture only at Newcastle, Pa., and in the Indiana gas belt. Seven hundred work people are permanently thrown out. The Pittsburg stockholders will get their dividends, but the laborer gets left, by virtue of this result of "protection" and trust combination.—*Chattanooga Times, Dem.*

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

M. E. Church, South, Wilmington District.

Clinton, Clinton Nov 11-12.
Onslow Tabernacle, Nov. 13-19.
Burgaw, Burgaw, Nov. 24
Kenansville Wesley's chapel, Nov. 25-26.
Magnolia, Rose Hill, Nov. 26.
Scott's Hill, Scott's Hill, Dec. 2-3.
Wilmington, Bladen Street (at night) Dec. 3.
R. F. BUMPASS,
Presiding Elder

APPOINTMENTS

For Visitation by the Bishop of East Carolina.

November 12th, Sunday, twenty-fourth after Trinity, M. P., Holy Innocent's, Lenoir county.

November 12th, Sunday, twenty-fourth after Trinity, E. P., St. Mary's, Kinston.

November 16th, Thursday, Dawson's School House.

November 19th, Sunday, twenty-fifth after Trinity, M. P., St. John's, Pitt county.

November 21st, Tuesday, E. P., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 22d, Wednesday, Com., St. Paul's, Greenville.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. P., Trinity, Chocowinity.

November 26th, Sunday before Advent, E. M., St. Peter's, Washington.

November 30th, Thursday, Thanksgiving, M. P., Zion Church, Beaufort county.

December 3d, Sunday, first in Advent, M. P., St. Martin's, Hamilton.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, M. P., St. Peter's, Gates county.

December 10th, Sunday, second in Advent, E. P., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 11th, Monday, Com., St. Mary's, Gatesville.

December 13th, Wednesday, St. Barnabas', Murfreesboro.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, M. P., St. Mark's, Roxobel.

December 17th, Sunday, third in Advent, E. P., Grace Church, Woodville.

December 21st, Thursday Fest, St. Thomas, St. Thomas', Windsor.

December 24th, Sunday, fourth in Advent, M. P., Advent, Williamston.

December 25th, Christmas, Grace, Plymouth.

December 31st, Sunday after Christmas, St. Thomas', Atkinson.

M. P., morning prayer; E. P., evening prayer.

Holy communion at all morning services.

The children catechised when practicable.

The vestries will pleased be prepared to meet the bishop.

Offerings to be for Diocesan Missions.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1 00. Trial bottles 10c at ROBT. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

INDIAN GAMES.

The Mistaken Notion That They Are Varieties of Pit Games.

In the July issue of The Reliable Poultry Journal W. S. Templeton of Dakota, Ills., gives a long and interesting account of Cornish Indian Games and White Indian Games, of which he is an extensive breeder. A note by the editor of The Journal preceding Mr. Templeton's article says:

"There is a movement on foot to drop the word 'game' in the names of the two varieties treated of in the article. The present standard of perfection designates them as the Cornish Indian Games and the White Indian Games. It is claimed that the word game or games arouses in the minds of many persons an unjust prejudice, through their wrongfully associating these two varieties with the pit games or fight-

IMPORTED CORNISH INDIAN ADMIRAL.

ers. The Cornish and White Indian Games are not fighters—not more so than are the Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks or Wyandottes; hence it would no doubt serve a good purpose if the word games were dropped from their name. Mr. Templeton is of this opinion. The correct and practical way to bring this about will to secure from the breeders a vote by mail, then take the matter before a regular meeting of the American Poultry association."

The accompanying illustration is from a photograph of the first prize Cornish Indian cock at the Chicago show, January, 1899. The bird was bred and is owned by Mr. Templeton. Admiral is a modern upstanding type of Indian and weighs ten pounds.

Grocery Bills and Eggs.

About the most satisfactory antidote we have found for the grocer's bill, which astonishes us every six months, is hen fruit. When we place 15 dozen eggs every week against a week's grocery purchase we have things pretty well balanced, oftentimes calling for a credit of a dollar or two. We don't make any attempts at growing poultry as a money crop nor selling eggs as a business. We simply take to market 15 or 20 dozen eggs every week during the laying season and sell them to our grocer at the prevailing price, taking same in trade. The result is but little if any cash is extracted from our pocket by the vender of merchandise. This inspires confidence in the great rose combed hen which costs us so little to keep and responds so liberally to regular feeding of inexpensive feeds. We have come to regard the hen as a necessary appurtenance on the farm and given her a place on the account book or ledger where her business is recorded from month to month.

Eggs sold here last winter for 35 cents per dozen; the present price is 12 cents, which is the average the year around. At this price eggs, and butter at 25 cents per pound, will balance the grocery bill easily. If it succeeds for us, why not with you?

The reason some people decry the poultry business is they have tried it on a loose, haphazard basis, and quite naturally met failure or disappointment in profits. One should engage therein by degrees, going from one point to another guided and aided by past experience. Like any other business, it requires a pretty good amount of common hard sense to successfully manage it, and without this all essential there is nothing in it save experience. We have been all along the line and speak from failures and successes, about evenly or equally divided. We started on a small scale and have not yet reached the B class, so to speak.—National Stockman and Farmer.

The Color of the Yolk.

The Baltimore Sun says a gentleman remarked the other day in a Baltimore restaurant: "I don't eat eggs now. They are not good. Thin, pale yolks show it." Another said in reply: "Well, I'll order soft boiled eggs, for I know that it is grass and green weeds that make the yolks that very dark color they have later on, and it is the good grain food they have to feed now to make hens lay that makes the yolks so pale. I've raised chickens and know." There are city people to whom the taste of a genuine fresh laid egg would be a revelation.

Green Bone.

The value of green bone lies in its well proportioned and numerous constituents, which are just what is needed by the hen to produce eggs, says Inland Poultry. In it we have lime for the shell, mineral water for the yolk and albumen for the white. It is as near an all around food as any can be. There is only one objection to it, and that is that it is somewhat concentrated. If hens are fed on it entirely, they will eat too much; hence, it is necessary to feed it in connection with some bulky food, such as clover or bran.

Plants protect themselves by terrifying attitudes, just as do insects. One of the uses of the movements of the sensitive plant is to frighten animals. A venturesome browsing creature coming near it is afraid to touch a plant which so evidently is occupied by spirits.

The Royal Academy of Sciences of Amsterdam has paid a delicate compliment to the English speaking world by ordering that its transactions shall in future be printed in English instead of the native Dutch, in order that they may be more available to the scientific world at large.

In an article on the danger of long hours in druggists' shops the London Lancet says that during the four years ending July, 1898, 18 dispensing assistants in drug stores committed suicide, and seven others attempted, but failed, to kill themselves. These suicides were the consequence of the physical conditions induced by the taking of drugs to resist the effects of fatigue.

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HE LEFT HIM THERE.

A Celtic Philosopher's Little Engagement With the Bull.

"I never hear the ancient saw about 'taking the bull by the horns,'" began Buggins briskly as the conversation in his corner of the clubroom began to lag, "but what I am reminded of a characteristic story about an Irishman (the Irish are partial to bulls, you know) who rashly attempted to perform the feat in question—not figuratively, but literally—with the result that the bull, resenting such familiarity, charged on its tormentor and by a simple toss of his head suddenly deposited Patrick, or whatever his name was, on the opposite side of a six foot fence some dozen or 15 feet away.

"The Emerald Islander was considerably shaken up and bewildered by his unexpected journey through the air and the abrupt manner in which he had brought up on his back in the adjoining field, and several minutes elapsed before he had recovered his senses sufficiently to get up and inquire into the affair. When he had finally crawled painfully to his feet, the first thing that dawned on his dazed vision was the still enraged bovine on the other side of the high rail fence, bellowing and pawing up the landscape.

"It took the puzzled son of the old sod some time to figure out just what had happened, but after several minutes of hard cogitation, accompanied by vigorous scratching of the head, he finally solved the mystery, or thought he did, and with true Celtic philosophy he announced:

"'Be jabers, the bull is on t'other side of the fence all right, an Oi must've t'rowed him there before Oi become insinsible. But it give me a moighty har-rd twist of it ter git him over, so it did, an now, by the powers, the ugly divil kin stay there till doomsday before Oi'll climb over an t'row him back.'

"And, well satisfied with his exploit, Pat limped away."—Will S. Gidley in August Woman's Home Companion.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

BAGGING—		
2 ℔ Jute	6½@	6¼
Standard	10½@	6¾
Burlaps	5 @	5½
WESTERN SMOKED—		
Hams ℔ ℔	12 @	12½
Sides ℔ ℔	@	6¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔	@	6
DRY SALTED—		
Sides ℔ ℔	5½@	5¾
Shoulders ℔ ℔	@	5¼
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—		
Second-hand, each	1 25 @	1 35
New New York, each	@	1 40
New City, each	@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	@	23
BRICKS—		
Wilmington ℔ M	5 00 @	7 00
Northern	9 00 @	14 00
BUTTER—		
North Carolina ℔ ℔	20 @	22
Northern	25 @	30
CORN MEAL—		
Per bushel, in sacks	@	47½
Virginia Meal	@	47½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle	@	1 15
CANDLES—℔ ℔—		
Sperm	18 @	25
Adamantine	8 @	11
CHEESE—℔ ℔		
Northern Factory	15 @	16
Dairy Cream	@	16
State	13 @	14
COFFEE—℔ ℔—		
Laguyra	12½@	15
Rio	7 @	9
DOMESTICS—		
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	@	5½
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s	@	70
EGGS—℔ dozen	12½@	15
FISH—		
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00 @	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl	11 00 @	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00 @	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl	8 00 @	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00 @	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	4 00 @	4 50
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	@	3 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00 @	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5 @	10
Extra	4 36 @	4 50
FLOUR—℔ ℔—		
Low grade	@	3 00
Choice	@	3 50
Straights	3 90 @	4 00
First Patent	4 25 @	4 50
GLUE—℔ ℔	12½@	15
GRAIN—℔ bushel—		
Corn, from store, bgs—White	52 @	53½
Car-load, in bgs—White	@	50
Oats, from store	38 @	40
Oats, Rust Proof	@	45
Cow Peas	55 @	60
HIDES—℔ ℔—		
Green salted	@	6½
Dry flint	10 @	12½
Dry salt	@	9
HAY ℔ 100 ℔s		
Clover Hay	85 @	90
Rice Straw	40 @	50
Eastern	80 @	85
Western	80 @	85
North River	80 @	85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔—	3½@	4
ILLUMINATING OILS—		
Diamond White, bbls, ℔ gal	@	11½
Aladdin Security "	@	12½
Pratt's Astral "	@	13½
Carandine "	@	13
LARD, ℔ ℔—		
Northern	7 @	8
North Carolina	6 @	10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15 @	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—		
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00 @	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00 @	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00 @	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00 @	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00 @	15 00
Common mill	5 00 @	6 50
Fair mill	6 50 @	8 00
Prime mill	8 50 @	10 00
Extra mill	10 00 @	10 50
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—		
Barbadoes, in hogshead	@	35
Barbadoes, in barrels	@	38
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	@	30
Sugar House, in hogsheads	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 50 @	3 00
PORK, ℔ barrel—		
City Mess	10 00 @	10 50
Rump	@	9 50
Prime	@	9 00
ROPE, ℔ ℔	10 @	12
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum	@	1 10
Liverpool	75 @	80
American	70 @	75
On 125 ℔ Sacks	@	47½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, per M	5 00 @	6 50
Common	1 50 @	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50 @	2 75
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd	5½@	5¾
Standard A	4¾@	5
White Extra C	@	4¾
Extra C, Golden	@	4¼
C, Yellow	@	4¼
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3½@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00 @	14 00
R. O. Hogshead	@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	9 00 @	10 00
Mill, Prime	7 50 @	8 75
Mill, Fair	6 50 @	7 00
Common Mill	5 00 @	6 00
Inferior to ordinary	3 50 @	5 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed ℔ M 6x24 heart	7 50 @	8 50
" Sap	5 00 @	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 00 @	3 50
Sap	2 00 @	2 50
6x24 Heart	6 00 @	6 50
" Sap	5 00 @	5 50
TALLOW, ℔ ℔	@	5
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon, Northern	1 00 @	2 00
North Carolina	1 00 @	00
WOOL per ℔—Unwashed	15 @	17

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Clyde steamship Oneida, Staples, New York, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Schr Alma, Small, Ponce, Porto Rico, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

Stmr Seabright, Sanders, Calabash and Little River, S C, Stone, Rourk & Co.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

PONCE, PORTO RICO.—Schr Alma, 122,736 feet lumber, valued at $1,748.99, by Chadbourn Lumber Co; 15,000 brick; vessel by Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 9, 1899.

STEAMSHIPS.

Moonstone (Br), 1,563 tons, Foster, St Michaels, Heide & Co.

Wraggoe (Br), 1,838 tons, Rome, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Wandby (Br), 2,580 tons, Pearson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

B I Hazard, 323 tons, Blatchford, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Johannee (Nor), 473 tons, Thorsen, H K Nash, for Paterson, Downing & Co.

BARGES.

Maria Dolores, 610 tons, Bonneau, Navassa Guano Co.

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WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95 cents per bbl for strained and $1 00 for good strained.

TAR.—Market steady at $1.30 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.80 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady at 33½@33c; rosin dull at $1.05@1 10; tar steady at $1.15; crude turpentine quiet at $1.25 @1.90, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	83
Rosin	124
Tar	114
Crude turpentine	47

Receipts same day last year.—43 casks spirits turpentine, 378 bbls rosin, 89 bbls tar, 122 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Good Ordinary	4 15 16 cts ℔
Good Ordinary	5 5 16 " "
Low Middling	6 15-16 " "
Middling	7⅜ " "
Good Middling	7¾ " "

Same day last year middling 4⅞c.

Receipts—2,576 bales; same day last year, 3,702.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 85c; extra prime, 90c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, $1.05. Virginia —Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c.

CORN—Firm; 52 to 52½ cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tide-water) 90c@$1.10; upland 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 9.00 per M.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 8.—Money on call firm at 7@12 per cent., last offered at 12 per cent.; ruling rate being 8 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange easier; actual business in bankers' bills 486¼@486¾ for demand and 483½@484 for sixty days. Posted rates were 487½ and 488. Commercial bills 482. Silver certificates 58½@59½. Bar silver 58½. Mexican dollars 47¾. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. 3's, reg'd, 101; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108¼; U.S. new 4's, regist'd, 129½; do. coupon, 129½; U. S. old 4's, regist'd, 112; do. coupon, 112½; U. S. 5's, registered, 110¾; do. coupon, 110¾; N. C. 6's 127; do. 4's, 104; Southern Railway 5's 108¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 52½; Chesapeake & Ohio 28¼; Manhattan L 107⅞; N. Y. Central 137¼; Reading 21¼; do. 1st preferred 60; St. Paul 126; do. preferred 172; Southern Railway 13½; do. preferred 57¾; American Tobacco, 121½; do. preferred 144; People's Gas 115½; Sugar 156½; do. preferred 117

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In Long Creek village Pender county. 25 acres cleared, balance well timbered. Four acres in strawberries, 2 acres in apple trees. Fine grape vine. Large two-story house. One good New Store House. All necessary out houses. Two tenant houses. Two miles from Montague, a station on Atlantic and Yadkin Railroad; sixteen miles from Wilmington. Fertile land, in a high state of cultivation. A bargain for somebody.

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House in Kenansville.

One valuable six room house in Kenansville, Duplin county, N. C., just completed. Known as "Birchwood Cottage," with nice office on lot; also, garden and outbuildings. Located in a desirable part of the town. Kenansville is a pleasant town to live in—famed for its pure spring water and healthy locality. James Sprunt Institute, one of the best schools in the State, is located there.

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One-half mile from South Washington, on the W. & W. R. R., in Pender county. Borders on county roads. Very valuable for trucking.

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One hundred and fifty acres two miles from Ashton, four miles from Burgaw. Four acres cleared, most of which is very fertile low land. Balance well timbered for farming purposes. Two tenant houses.

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THE LIGHT BRAHMAS.

Their Controverted History—Standard by Which They Are Judged.

The leading variety of the Asiatic class is the Light Brahma. This fowl has a history that would fill pages were it recorded. These are the fowls which caused the "hen fever" of the fifties, about which so much has been written in later years. Their early history is a matter of controversy, the best authorities differing as to their origin.

They were first known as the Brahma Pootras, Gray Shanghais, Chittagongs, Cochin Chinas and what not. The early breeder named them according to his fancy for high sounding and sensational names to sell his stock. Fabulous prices were paid for them when the craze for fine poultry was at its height in the early days of the last half of the present century. The standard of the present Brahmas was fixed in 1869, and no deviation from the type then adopted has been made. They have stood high in popular favor since then without abatement. The vast number of breeders who are raising them fully attest their worth as a practical bird to the industry. The Brahma is a characteristic fowl. It is unlike other varieties, and it should not be confounded in shape with the Cochin.

The average Light Brahma male is in height 26 inches; back from the ground, 16 inches; keel from the ground, 8 inches; length of body, front of breast to rear of fluff, 14 inches; height of tail, a trifle over 21 inches; saddle hangers to rear of fluff, 2¼ inches; eye, from tip of beak, 2 1-6 inches; length of head and beak, 3½ inches; breasts to rear of a drop line

PAIR OF LIGHT BRAHMAS.

from point of beak, three-quarters to 1¼ inches. As specimens depart from this proportion they become awkward and valueless as exhibition stock and often, also, as egg producers. In shape, oblong, with full, broad and round breast, carried well forward. The fullness and oblong shape is typical of the Brahma and is characteristic of prolific birds. The curves of neck and back are similar to those of the outlines of an egg.

In plumage the male is pure white, excepting hackle, tail and flights, which are black and white striped with black. Any other color but white and black is against the standard bred bird. The hackle is white, with a black stripe extending down the center of each feather and tapering to a point near the extremity. The tail feathers are black, and sickles are glossy greenish black. The shanks are well feathered, with the feathering extending down the middle toe. The toe feathering may be white or white sprinkled with black, pure white preferred. A small pea comb, broad crown, projects over the eyes. Bright red face, wattles and ear lobes are essential to a good head. The shanks and toes are bright yellow.

The Brahma female is much like the male in head qualities, having broad comb, projecting well over the eyes, and small pea comb. The head of the female should be masculine in appearance. The head is white; hackle, white striped with black, as in male; cape, white and black, but is completely covered by hackle when the bird stands erect; tail, black, excepting the two highest main tail feathers, which may be edged with white; tail coverts, one or more rows, distinctly covering a part of both sides of the main tail, two rows being preferable, one black edged with white.

The Light Brahmas are valuable birds for the farm. They have always been made to pay for their keep and have seldom been set aside by any who have bred them.—Farmers' Bulletin No. 51.

Poultry Points For Farmers.

For a general purpose fowl we believe the Plymouth Rock is unsurpassed.

An intelligent study of the poultry business, details in regard to buildings, care, feed, diseases, preparing for market and kindred subjects, such as may be found in a progressive poultry journal, is requisite to success.

It is most profitable to sell to regular customers, gaining and holding their confidence by quality and freshness of poultry products and attractiveness of packages delivered.

The best time to sell is in June or July. Plymouth Rocks at 2 years of age, a good selling age, will often weigh six, eight and even ten pounds, and from select customers will bring 10 to 14 cents per pound. Early chickens are harder to raise than late ones; they are also more profitable.

We have realized greater profits from the sale of eggs than from that of chickens, but believe a combination of the two is desirable.

The exercise of intelligence, industry, common sense, patience, perseverance and eternal vigilance will insure successful poultry raising on the farm.—Farm, Field and Fireside.

Not Enough Yet.

Incubator manufacturers in Canada have done more than treble the business of any other season, says a correspondent, yet next spring the commission merchants will again complain. "We can't get the birds."

The banana is said to be the most prolific of all food products, being 44 times more productive than potatoes and 128 times more than wheat.

The Grief of Parting.

The man leaned right into the railway carriage. There was positive anguish in his drawn face. The lady inside was very pretty and beautifully dressed. Her softnesses of complexion and hair, of lace and filmy material, triumphed in the searching glare of the electric light, which showed the rich luxury of every detail of her costume. She smiled with a pretty, regretful tenderness as she replied lightly to his earnest works. He looked at her as if he could never look long enough, as if her face held for him the whole meaning of life. As the train began to move, his fingers fell passionately on the ungloved hand resting on the window ledge; then instinctively he sprang back, raised his hat, and I caught in full light a glimpse of his white face.

Directly the train steamed out of the station the lady rose, carefully rolled up her veil, and, quite indifferent to my presence, proceeded before the mirror in the carriage to dust her face with a dainty pocket handkerchief, and to apply to forehead and nose the mintiest layer of powder with a tiny puff. She patted and arranged her curls, drawing them with a hairpin into coquettish position and curve, and then, lowering her veil, she sank into the seat with a sigh of satisfaction.—Academy.

Currant Leaf Blight.

Leaf blight often appears on currant bushes about midsummer. It begins as whitish spots with dark centers, which spread over the leaf, causing it to drop prematurely, often leaving the bush entirely naked by September. As a preventive, spray with bordeaux mixture, ammoniacal carbonate of copper or potassium sulphide solution.

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Is looked forward to with expectations of joy and gladness. The ordeal of bringing the little one into the world, however, is a critical one for the mother-to-be, and her anticipations of the coming event are shadowed with gloom. Half the pain and all the danger of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of "MOTHER'S FRIEND," a scientific liniment of priceless value to all women. Sold by all druggists at one dollar per bottle.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of Mary E Mills, executrix of the estate of J. W. Mills, deceased. vs. M. E. Mills et al. I will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash, on the 14th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the Court House of New Hanover county, in Wilmington. N. C., the following real estate in said city, to-wit:

1st. A tract beginning at the intersection of Ninth and Wooster streets, and running northwardly along 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along Wooster street to the beginning, being part of Lot No. 6, Block 66.

2d. A tract of land commencing 50 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 50 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 50 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 6.

3rd. A tract of land commencing 100 feet from the intersection of 9th and Wooster and running northwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Northrop and Cumming's line thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 82 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 66 feet to Wooster street, thence eastwardly along with Wooster street 82 feet to the beginning, same being a part of Lot 6, Block 66.

4th. A tract beginning at a point in the northern line of Wooster street 182 feet west of the western line of 9th street, running thence west with said line of Wooster street 65 feet, thence northwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 8th street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6, Block 660.

5th. A tract beginning in the northern line of Wooster street at a point 135 feet west of the western line of 11th street 66 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Wooster street 65 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 10th street 66 feet thence eastwardly with the northern line of Wooster street 65 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 6 Block 68.

6th. A lot beginning at a point in Lot 3, Block 38 84 feet from the western line of 9th street, running thence northwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence westwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet, thence southwardly parallel with 9th street 88 feet, thence eastwardly parallel with Dawson street 32 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 2 and 3, Block 38.

7th. A tract beginning at the northwestern intersection of Mulberry and 14th streets and running north with the western line of 14th street 101 feet, thence west parallel with Mulberry street about 80 feet to a drain or small branch, thence southeast and with the run of said drain or branch to the northern line of Mulberry street, thence with the northern line of Mulberry street east to the beginning, the same being less by 10 feet on 14th street than the whole Lot, and being the eastern end of Lot 5 and 6 in Block 470.

WILLIAM J. BELLAMY,
Commissioner.

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Atlantic National Bank,

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TO ALL POINTS

North, South and Southwest.

Schedule in Effect Nov. 5, 1899.

Train 41—Leaves Wilmington 3:05 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:14 P. M., Pembroke 5:35 P. M., Maxton 6:06 P. M., Laurinburg 6:23 P. M., Hamlet 6:53 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains for Monroe, Charlotte, Athens, Atlanta and all points South; and with trains for Raleigh, Portsmouth, Richmond, Washington and points North.

Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:43 A. M., Raleigh 3:36 P. M., Sanford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:20 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45 A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A. M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Raleigh 11:18 A. M., Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 5:00 P. M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 P. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Raleigh 2:14 A. M., Sanford 3:38 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolnton 9:22 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Rutherfordton 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:40 P. M. Arrives Shelby 5:58 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:10 P. M.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 noon. Arrives Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:10 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 2:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M., Washington, 12:41 noon.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 P. M. Arrives Gibson 8:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 A. M. Arrives Hamlet 7.40 A. M.

Train 17—Leaves Hamlet 8:40 A. M. Arrives Cheraw 10:00 A. M. Returning, leaves Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M.

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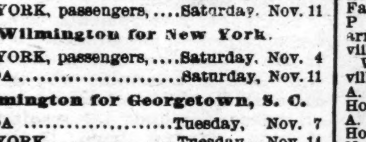

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ATLANTIC & YADKIN RAILWAY.

Schedule in Effect March 26th, 1899.

South Bound Daily No. 52	MAIN LINE.	North Bound Daily No. 53.
6 50 p m	Ar......Wilmington.....Lv	9 00 a m
3 50 p m	Lv......Fayetteville.....Ar	12 10 a m
3 45 p m	Ar......Fayetteville.....Lv	12 28 p m
2 30 p m	Lv.........Sanford.........Lv	1 43 p m
12 42 p m	Lv.........Climax..........Lv	3 44 p m
12 13 p m	Lv......Greensboro.......Ar	4 15 p m
11 55 a m	Ar......Greensboro.......Lv	4 25 p m
11 07 a m	Lv......Stokesdale........Lv	5 12 p m
10 36 a m	Lv......Walnut Cove.....Lv	5 44 p m
10 09 a m	Lv......Rural Hall........Lv	6 13 p m
8 45 a m	Lv......Mt. Airy..........Ar	7 35 p m

South Bound Daily No. 64.	BENNETTSVILLE.	North Bound Daily No. 65.
8 00 a m	Lv.....Bennettsville.....Ar	7 15 p m
9 07 a m	Lv.........Maxton.........Lv	6 15 p m
9 35 a m	Lv......Red Springs......Lv	5 35 p m
10 20 a m	Lv.......Hope Mills.......Lv	4 52 p m
10 40 a m	Ar.......Fayetteville.......Lv	4 33 p m

No. 46		No. 47.
South Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.	MADISON BRANCH.	North Bound Mixed Daily ex. Sunday.
5 30 p m	Ar........Ramseur.........Lv	6 40 a m
3 50 p m	Lv.........Climax..........Ar	8 25 a m
2 40 p m	Lv......Greensboro.......Ar	9 17 a m
2 30 p m	Ar......Greensboro.......Lv	9 35 a m
1 15 p m	Lv......Stokesdale........Lv	11 07 a m
12 30 p m	Lv.......Madison.........Ar	11 55 a m

Connections at Fayetteville with Atlantic Coast Line, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad, at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

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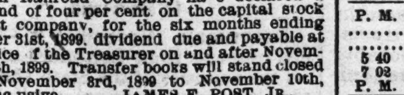

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Co.

The Board of Directors of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company have declared a dividend of four per cent on the capital stock of that company, for the six months ending October 31st, 1899, dividend due and payable at the office of the Treasurer on and after November 10th, 1899. Transfer books will stand closed from November 3rd, 1899 to November 10th, 1899, inclusive.

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Schedule In Effect Oct. 31, 1899.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND

DAILY 9.45 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.19 A. M., Warsaw 11 33 A. M., Goldsboro 12.26 P. M., Wilson 1.16 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.21 P. M., Richmond 7.20 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.00 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.34 P. M., Warsaw 8.48 P. M., Goldsboro 9.45 P. M., Wilson 10.88 P. M., †Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.38 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.35 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7 01 A. M., Baltimore 8.23 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.28 P. M., Marion 6.34 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 6.12 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.55 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.40 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.03 P. M., New York *9.00 P. M., Philadelphia 12.05 A. M., Baltimore 2.50 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 10.00 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.21 P. M., Warsaw 4.12 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 9.40 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.30 A. M., Philadelphia 12 09 P. M., Baltimore 2.25 P. M., Washington 3.46 P. M., Richmond 7.30 P. M., Petersburg 8.12 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.43 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M. Leave Wilson 6.20 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.15 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 A. M., Sanford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.34 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.03 A. M.

†Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9.00 A. M., arrives Fayetteville 12.15 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12 25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M. Returning leaves Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrives Fayetteville 3.45 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 3.50 P. M., arrives Wilmington 6.50 P. M.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 A. M. Maxton 9.20 A. M., Red Springs 9.53 A. M., Hope Mills 10.42 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M. and 7.20 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7 50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.05 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 9.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 10.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.10 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Nashville 11.22 A. M., 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 11.45 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.02 A. M., arrive Latta 10.24 A. M., Dillon 10.36 A. M., Rowland 10.54 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.20 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.13 P. M., Manning 5.41 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M.; 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.0 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M. Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.58 P. M., 11.14 P. M. arrive Selma 2.50 P. M. 11.57 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M. Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 1.08 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.54 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M. 9.40 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.52 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M. 11.31 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.29 A. M., Creston 5.17 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.12 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.17 P. M., Creston 5.13 P. M., Sumter 6.03 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrives Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrives Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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H. M. EMERSON,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

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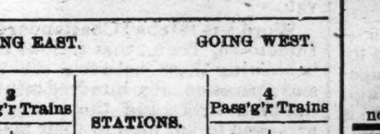

To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern........	8 37	9 00
7 03	7 07	Morehead City.	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M. and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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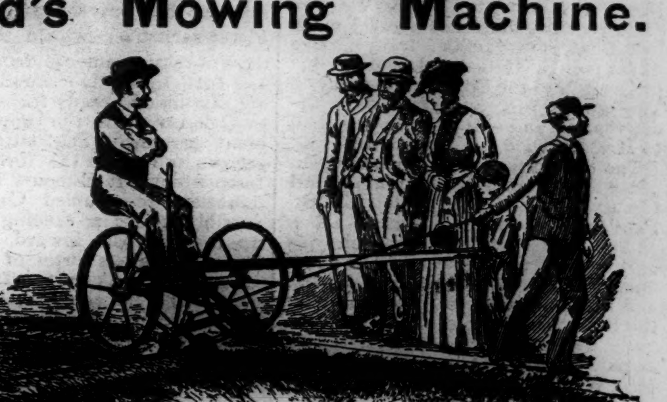

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 9.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

In Convention at Richmond—Tablets to Memory of the Davis Family Unveiled. Monuments to be Unveiled To-day.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., November 8.—The United Daughters of the Confederacy assembled in their sixth annual convention at the Jefferson Hotel roof garden here this morning. Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie, the president, called the body to order. Mrs. Norman V. Randolph welcomed the Daughters and Mrs. E. C. Minor, on behalf of Mrs. Jos. Bryan, president of the Ladies' Memorial Literary Society, who could not be present, also read a welcoming address. Mrs. Currie responded. Mrs. James G. Leigh, of Norfolk, president of the Virginia State division, presented a gavel made by a Confederate soldier from the tree under which General Lee made his last speech to the Confederate soldiers. The gavel will be used during the convention and will then be returned to Mrs. Attwood, of Appomattox.

The convention then adjourned, in order that the delegates might attend the unveiling of the tablets in St. Paul's Church to Miss Winnie Davis and the Davis sons. The church was crowded and the services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Louden R Mason, and Bishop George W. Peterkin, of the Episcopal Diocese of West Virginia, delivered the addressed, which he paid a beautiful tribute to Mr. Davis, Miss Winnie and the women of the South.

Immediately after this, Jefferson Hayes Davis, the grandson of President Davis, released the veil covering the tablets, and they were exposed to view.

Mrs. Davis was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs Hayes; Mrs. George Ross; Judge and Mrs. John H Regan, of Texas; Mrs. Hart of New York, and Mr. Edgar R Farrar, of New York. They occupied a pew in the centre aisle.

The tablet to Winnie Davis has a bronzed bas relief of Miss Davis and rests on a slab of colored marble. The inscription is:

"Daughter of the Confederacy, Varina Anne Davis, born July 27, 1864, entered into eternal life September 18, 1898. 'Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God.'"

The tablet to the children is to the memory of the four sons of President Davis, Samuel Emory, Jefferson, Jr., Joseph Evans and William Howell Davis. The former was erected by friends, and the latter by Mrs. Hayes.

The monument to Winnie Davis, erected in Hollywood cemetery by the Daughters of the Confederacy, and the monuments to Mr. Davis and Jefferson Davis, Jr., will be unveiled tomorrow with imposing ceremonies. General Fitzhugh Lee will be one of the speakers at the unveiling.

The afternoon session of the United Daughters of the Confederacy was devoted to routine business. The only feature of the session was that the convention united in singing "Dixie."

Before final adjournment the convention will take up the question of assuming charge of the building of the Davis monument in this city, the corner stone of which was laid some time ago. There was no night session, the delegates attending a reception given by the local chapter.

RELATIONS WITH CHINA.

Nothing Under Consideration Between Great Britain and the United States of a Sensational Character.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 8.—Officials here are at a loss to know what is meant by the mysterious London dispatch relative to Anglo American relations as to China, which was of such a startling character that it could not be published. It is stated that there is nothing under consideration in this line at present between Great Britain and the United States that can be said to be of a sensational character.

The Chinese government, through its minister in Washington, We Ting-Fang, is keeping a watchful eye on the recent developments relating to China. Within the last few days Minister Wu conferred with Secretary Hay, with a view to learning to what extent the United States had acted. The response of the Secretary of State is understood to be quite full and frank, and to the effect that at the request of the President our ambassadors and ministers abroad had been asked to secure definite assurances that there should be no interruption to the access of American trade and commerce to the interior of China through the treaty ports.

The view prevails that while there will be no difficulty in securing general assurances of a favorable character, it is not so certain that a definite statement in writing or other tangible form will be given. Those best acquainted with the subject hold that Great Britain, Germany and Russia will coincide with the American view, and that if any objection comes it is likely to arise in France, as the French policy in Madagascar and Cochin China is to give preferential rates to French goods and discriminations against foreign goods. From this it is implied that France would not give a definite assurance that American commerce will be on equal terms in China where French spheres of influence prevail.

LONDON, November 8.—The *Morning Post* publishes the following dispatch from Washington:

"Negotiations in London have resulted in an agreement between Great Britain, China and the United States to maintain their "open door" policy in China, which power will undertake to develop both British and American trade. It is understood that Germany and probably Russia will give the United States written assurances as to the maintenance of the open door."

WORK OF PROFESSIONALS.

Sheriff's Safe at Hillsboro, N. C., Cracked and Robbed of $5,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, November 8.—News was received here to day that the safe in the office of Sheriff Hughes, at Hillsboro, was cracked last night. The robbers got $5,000 in cash, $1,000 being in $20 gold pieces. No clue has been obtained as to the identity of the thieves, and the robbery is supposed to have been the work of professionals.

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BRITISH HOLD THEIR GROUND.

General White Maintains His Position Against the Boers at Ladysmith.

BOERS ABANDON COLENSO.

British Force Assembled to Re-occupy the Place—Reinforcements From Durban Arrive at Estcourt—Troopships Have Not Yet Arrived.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—The most interesting news to-night is a dispatch from Estcourt, announcing the departure of a strong force of mounted troops and artillery for a destination not given in the advices. Another message announces the arrival at Estcourt and Pietermaritzburg within the last few days of reinforcements from Durban, and that thirty-five hundred troops are assembled, ready for an advance to Colenso when the opportune moment arrives. The latter dispatch throws light upon the former and the force which left Estcourt Monday has doubtless re-occupied Colenso and possibly is now advancing cautiously up the railroad toward Ladysmith. General White's sortie of Friday, almost to the banks of the Tugela river, encourages its commander with the hope of joining hands with him.

General Joubert, the latest advices would indicate, drew in his horns after Friday's engagement and has since withdrawn the southern Boer contingents, leaving only outposts on the line from Ladysmith to Colenso. The Boers who occupied Colenso above the middle of last week, retired without damaging Bulwer bridge over the Tugela river, or the railroad as far north as the village of Nelthrope, seven miles south of Ladysmith. Evidently, they nurse a hope of eventually utilizing both in their descent on Pietermaritzburg. Meanwhile the British are also able to use both, as they have already done, in running up an armored train which may at the present moment be covering the advance of the Estcourt force.

Troopships Have Not Arrived.

None of the troopships has arrived. The one which it was predicted might reach Cape Town at the earliest on Monday is as yet unannounced, and even when it does arrive there, it will have three days steaming to reach Durban. As many as six transports with 4,500 troops are expected to be in Cape Town harbor by this time, but the war office last evening issued a statement to the effect that the only arrivals at Cape Town were the Sumatra, from Durban, with wounded, the Southern Cross from Gibraltar with mules and the collier Wenvoe.

Of course it is possible that dispatch boats have been sent to meet the troopships with instructions to proceed direct to Durban, and in that event the War Office statement that not one has arrived at Cape Town would be literally accurate, even though several should be half-way between Cape Town and Durban.

Situation at Mafeking.

The situation looks brighter at Mafeking, where the Boers are apparently disheartened at the unexpected resistance, a large body of their force having been detached to the South to assist in the investment of Kimberly, around which the cordon is drawing tighter. Evidently the Boers intend to make a concentrated effort to capture Kimberly and their arch-enemy, Cecil Rhodes.

The reported departure of a Boer contingent from Pretoria, with German artillery gunners, moving in a southerly direction, is taken to mean co operation in the invasion of the northern portions of Cape Colony, an undertaking which, thus far, has not progressed very rapidly.

Reports of a treacherous use of the white flag by the Boers, coming from native sources, are not received with complete credulity, but, at the same time their reiteration is making an unfavorble impression.

Battle of Nicholson's Nek.

CAPE TOWN, Sunday, November 5.—The following is an official description from Pretoria of the battle of Nicholson's Nek:

"General Joubert was in supreme command. The Britishers advanced in the darkness on the Republic forces, on the right of the hill, formed by the Free Staters, commanded by General Cronje. A stampede of their mules threw the whole force into disorder. The British batteries were observed in a long line on the plains in the direction of the Boers' centre, along the table hill, from which our artillery opened on the English batteries coming into position from Lombardskop with a creusot. The second shell fell in their midst. It was followed by shot after shot, drawing the British concealed batteries. From six to twelve the hill was a veritable inferno of hissing, whistling fragments of shells. At first the British failed to reach the hill, while the Boer fire told heavily. Eventually the British reached the Boers and showered shells on our gunners. The Boers could only occasionally fire their guns. While a wounded gunner bandaged himself, another fought, oblivious of the fragments of shells at his back. Dr. Hohls was killed while bandaging the wounded.

"In the meantime the burghers got their howitzers further forward and into play and the extreme end of Meyer's battery got in deadly work." [The remainder of the dispatch has not been received.]

To Protect Free State Border.

COLESBURG, November 6.—It is reported that 3,000 Boers have left Pretoria and are going to protect the southern border of the Orange Free State. They are said to be accompanied by a large contingent of German artillery with quick-firing guns of heavy calibre.

ESTCOURT, NATAL, November 6.—The Natal field artillery left camp today, escorted by troops of the Imperial light horse, carbineers and Natal police. The destination of the force is unknown.

Firing was heard this morning in the direction of Colenso, from which it is believed the Boers have resumed the bombardment of Ladysmith.

QUEENSTOWN, CAPE COLONY, November 5.—It is reported that the Boers have blown up the Stormburg Spruit bridge, as a terrific explosion was heard in the direction of the bridge.

Boers Badly Cut Up.

DURBAN, Nov. 5.—Other information confirms the statement of native eye witnesses respecting the severity of the fighting on both Friday and Saturday at Ladysmith. The natives assert that the Boers were so cut up that they howled for mercy on the field and covered their bodies. Ladysmith is crowded with Boer prisoners and wounded, the latter presenting horrible evidence of the swordsmanship of the cavalry. The Gordon highlanders suffered severely in the fighting.

PARTITION OF THE SAMOAN ISLANDS.

A Deal Between the Governments of Germany and Great Britain.

THE UNITED STATES' SHARE.

So-Called Neutral Zone in Africa to be Divided Between Germany and Great Britain — A Relinquishment of Certain German Rights.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, Nov. 8.—It was officially announced this morning that an agreement, subject to the approval of the United States, had been arrived at between Great Britain and Germany, by virtue of which the Samoan act is repealed and the islands of Upols, Savaii and the small adjacent islands fall to Germany as free property, and the island of Tutuila and the subsidiary islands go to the United States. Great Britain, it is added renounces any claim to the Samoan islands and Germany, in turn, renounces any claim to the Tonga islands and to Savage island, in favor of Great Britain, and also concedes Choiseul and San Isabel, the two easterly islands of the Solomon group, with their insula surroundings to Great Britain. The consular representatives of the two powers in Samoa and the Tonga islands are to be withdrawn for the present, and German subjects are to have the same rights as British subjects in regard to the free and unimpeded enlistment of native laborers in the whole of the Solomon group in the possession of Great Britain, including Choiseul and San Isabel.

Territory in South Africa Divided.

At the same time an agreement has been arrived at between the two powers, by virtue of which the so called neutral zone in the hinterland of German togoland the British gold coast will be divided in such manner that the boundary of the German and British territories will be formed by the Paka river up to a point where the latter cuts the ninth degree of latitude, thence north by a line to be fixed by a mixed commission. To this is appended a reservation that the countries of Mamprusi and Gambasa shall fall to Great Britain and the countries of Yeudi and Chakosi to Germany. Finally, according to the decision of the colonial council, Germany has promised to renounce her extra territorial rights in Zanzibar till the expiration of the commercial treaty in 1902, with the proviso that the renunciation is only effective when the other nations abandon their extra-territorial rights in Zanzibar in favor of Great Britain. Regarding this agreement, it is observed that the United States' assent is regarded as assured.

A further agreement concluded between Germany, Great Britain and the United States is to the effect that the question of compensation for claims for damage during the late trouble is to be submitted to an imperial court of arbitration, which will decide the claims.

Confirmed in London.

LONDON, November 8.—The British Foreign Office to-day gave out a statement in regard to the Samoan agreement similar to that issued in Berlin, showing that the United States gets the Tutuila and other Samoan islands east of the 171st degree of longitude.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Daily Mail* says he has learned that the Samoan agreement contains secret clauses relating to South Africa, whereby the plans of Cecil Rhodes are advanced a step toward realization.

WASHINGTON, November 8.—The State Department has not yet been advised of the agreement between Great Britain and Germany respecting the Samoan group. It is gathered, however, that if the outline of the agreement set out in the cable advices is accurate, there will be no disposition to withhold our approval, provided certain minor conditions are included.

IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Gen. MacArthur's Forces Capture Mabalacat Without Loss.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, November 8.—General MacArthur has occupied Mabalacat. His entire line, including the Twelfth, Seventeenth and Ninth infantry and part of the fourth cavalry, is extended three miles in front of Angles in a good tractional position.

Major Bell took Mabalacat. Being ordered to reconnoitre yesterday until he located the enemy, he pushed to the town, driving out two companies of insurgents, and killing several Filipino officers. The Americans suffered no loss.

WARM WIRELETS.

Vice President Hobart passed a very favorable day. There was no change in his condition whatever, and consequently the attending physicians did not issue any bulletin.

Princeton Tigers, in a game of foot ball, defeated the University of North Carolina at Princeton, N. J., by a score of thirty to nothing. The game was slow and neither team put up noticeably strong work.

There were no new cases of yellow fever in New Orleans yesterday. There had been three cases reported Monday. New Orleans reports three new cases and one death since the fifth instant.

The shipwrecked crew of the schooner William E. Downes, from Savannah and bound to New Haven, were rescued and landed at Gloucester, Mass., by the Italian barque Salvatore.

Word has reached Chattanooga from Ducktown, Tenn., that serious trouble is brewing there between the miners and operators. Six hundred miners are out on a strike and the company has arranged to put men in their places.

Mr. Maxey G. Lee, of a well known family of Darlington, S. C., who killed his father, Dr. Lee, several months ago, was found guilty, "with a recommendation to mercy," which probably means life imprisonment in the penitentiary.

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GOEBEL ELECTED IN KENTUCKY.

Plurality of Over 15,000 for the Democratic Candidate for Governor.

LEGISLATURE IS DEMOCRATIC

Contested by Republicans—The Legislature Will Decide — Ohio's Election—The Result in Other States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 8.—No matter what result the face of the returns of yesterday's State election shows, a contest is very likely to occur. Additional returns received to-day and to-night, continue to show Republican gains, and basing an estimate upon the normal complexion of the precincts still unreported indicate a plurality of six thousand or eight thousand for W. S. Taylor for Governor. The belated returns are mostly from mountain counties which are strongly Republican.

The Goebel people cling to their claim of a plurality of 5,000 in the State, these figures being the estimate made by the nominee himself to-night.

At Republican headquarters, in this city, Taylor's plurality is placed at 8,000. In neither case is it possible to get the figures upon which the claim is based, each side evidently fearing that giving publicity to the reports of its agents throughout the State might work to the advantage of its opponent in the event of a contest.

Legislature Will Decide.

LOUISVILLE, KY., November 8.—In view of the probability of a contest over the vote for Governor, this statement, made by Chairman Long at 11 o'clock to-night, is significant:

Said Mr. Long: "The Legislature is close, but I think we have lost both houses. From semi-official returns from all counties except twelve and careful estimates from these we have carried the State by eight thousand plurality for Taylor."

In the event of a contest it will come before the Legislature. This is the case only with the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor. The law covering this point provides that a board for determining a contest for Governor shall be chosen in the Legislature by lot, the Senate selecting three and the House eight members. The decision of this board is not final nor conclusive. It must report to the General Assembly, where further action may be taken.

To-night's developments bring the Legislature into prominence, because of the probability that it ultimately will have to determine who is to be the next Governor of Kentucky. In all expressions upon the result of the election, coming from Democratic headquarters, the Legislature has been claimed as safe for that party. No statement of its make up has been given, but it is probable a number of the members claimed by the Democrats are not Goebel men. If the strength of the two great parties is nearly equal these anti-Goebel Democrats probably would hold the balance of power, thus furnishing all the elements for a repetition of the exciting and bitter contest of 1897, which resulted in the defeat of Blackburn for the United States Senate. While the returns on the head of the tickets are incomplete, but little attention has been paid to the figures on members of the Legislature, and until the contest between the leaders is cleared up somewhat it will be hard to get an accurate estimate of the relative strength of the parties in the Assembly.

Goebel Claims His Election.

FRANKFORT, KY., November 8.—Senator Goebel arrived here at 8 o'clock to-night and was met at the train by a crowd of 1,500 enthusiastic followers. From the balcony of the Capital hotel where his headquarters is located, Mr. Goebel made a speech in which he said:

"I believe I have been elected in fact I know I have. I see my friend General Taylor says he will resume the office of Governor. All I have to say is, if I have been elected, as I believe, I will be inaugurated in spite of the Louisville and Nashville railroad and Bradley's bayonets."

Ex-Senator Blackburn also spoke, claiming Goebel's election by a slender majority and calling on the people to see to it that he is seated.

LOUISVILLE, KY., November 8.—Returns received by the *Courier-Journal* up to midnight give Goebel a plurality in the State, outside of the Eleventh district, of 15,300. The Eleventh district, as far as received, shows the usual Republican majorities. Six counties in this district which last night reported Taylor pluralities, to-night send revised figures increasing these pluralities by 1,800. On the other hand the First district, in the the extreme western part of the State, the banner Democratic district, increases its plurality for Goebel several hundred over the figures returned last night.

Warrants have been sworn out against upward of 200 elections officers and others in Louisville, alleging intimidation of voters. The cases will be presented to the Federal grand jury.

Democratic on Joint Ballot.

FRANKFORT, KY., November 8.—Chairman Blackburn of the Democratic State campaign committee, at this hour, mid-night, gave the following figures of the complexion of the next Legislature: Senate—Democrats, 7; Republicans, 11. House—Democrats, 55; Republicans, 45; with chance of 58 to 42.

CINCINNATI, O., November 8.—Unofficial returns have been received by the Western Union from all counties in Ohio, with a few scattering precincts estimated. The footings give Nash, Republican, for Governor, a pluralty of 49,205. The reports in most cases give only the pluralities and hence it has not been possible to give the total vote of the candidates. The Jones vote, however, has been reported from forty-seven counties, including Cuyahogo, Lucas, Hamilton and Summit, where the largest vote for him was cast. It shows a total in forty-seven counties of 82,787.

In Maryland.

BALTIMORE, November 8.—Unofficial returns from Baltimore city and all the counties of the State show that the Democrats swept practically everything before them in yesterday's contest. John Walter Smith, Dr. Joshua Herring and Isidore Bayner, their candidates for Governor, Comptroller and Attorney General, respectively, were elected over the Republican candidates by approximately 11,300 majority. The official count, it is thought, will not materially change these figures. The Democrats elected eleven State Senators for four-year terms, which, with their four holdovers, will give them fifteen out of a total membership of twenty six in the upper house of the General Assembly.

In the lower house, composed of ninety-one members, the Democrats elected sixty-six, while the Republicans will have only twenty-five delegates in the Legislature to meet in January of next year.

Iowa Returns.

DES MOINES, November 8.—Returns from ninety of the ninety-nine counties in the State, with estimates on the others, show that the Republican claim of 60,000 plurality for Governor Shaw is easily maintained and may go slightly above that figure. His majority over all candidates for Governor is estimated at 48,000, largest in the history of the State on the gubernatorial vote. The Legislature will stand: Senate—35 Republicans and 15 Democrats. House—83 Republicans and 17 Democrats; a gain of 17 votes on joint ballot for the Republicans. Both the Gear and Cummins forces claim a majority of the Republican votes for the U S. Senatorship.

New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Returns received from up the State increase the Republican Assembly membership to 93, against 57 Democrats; a Republican gain of 12.

In New York county the largest Tammany plurality was that of the candidate for surrogate, Abner C. Thomas, 55,670.

WITHDRAWING FROM THE BORDER.

LONDON, November 9.—The *Daily Mail* has the following dispatch from Queenstown, Cape Colony, dated Sunday night:

"The railway staff is withdrawing from all the border stations, between this and De Aar. There is no cause for alarm, however, with reference to the border towns. General Buller has taken effective steps to check the Boer advance. Censorship prevents particularizing, but you may expect good news soon."

A marriage license was yesterday issued to Admiral George Dewey and Mrs Mildred Hazen. The age of the Admiral is given as 61, and his bride elect 48.

Additional reports from South Dakota make but little change in the Republican majority, increasing it from 3,875 to 4,017.

The newspapers in London unanimously regard Mr. McKinley's election to a second presidential term as assured.

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FACTS IN A FEW LINES.

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Detroit will have the first factory to make linoleum in the west.

There are 450 employees to every 100 miles of railroad in the United States.

Two-thirds of the United States have abolished days of grace on commercial paper.

Few people are aware that the first American captain general of Cuba was Andrew Jackson.

The population of New South Wales last year was 1,846,240, males showing a majority of 100,000.

Australia is the one place in the world where the towns are more beautiful than the country.

Certain enthusiastic citizens of Bulawayo propose erecting a monument in bronze of Cecil Rhodes.

The parliamentary reporters are up in arms against the length of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's name.

The wornout uniforms of the British army, when sold, bring back into the war office treasury close upon $150,000 a year.

The largest telescope in existence does not make the planet Mars appear any bigger than the moon does through an opera glass.

There are about 80 distinct tribes among the natives of the Philippines. The Moros are the most bloodthirsty savages known.

There are millions of the inhabitants of the Philippine Islands who never knew the dominion of Spain and never saw a Spaniard.

Every inhabitant of the Austrian village of Storbeck is a chess player. The children are taught to play chess just as they are taught to read and write.

A New York lawyer charged a counsel fee of $250 and a bondsman fee of $50 to defend a boy who was held for the larceny of 90 cents' worth of groceries.

The origin of the modern circus dates back to about 1770, when Philip Astley, a discharged soldier, gave exhibitions of horsemanship in an improvised ring at Lambeth.

Gout is rarely known among the working classes of Ireland. Their immunity from this complaint is thought to be due to the fact that their food consists largely of potatoes.

Horses, giraffes and ostriches have the largest eyes of all terrestrial animals, but among marine animals there are cephalopods, or ink fishes, which have eyes as large as a plate.

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Wanted—All kinds of Country Produce, Chickens, Eggs, Apples, Cabbage and Country Hams. Your shipments solicited. Highest prices prompt returns. W. C Page, Commission Merchant, No. 6 Princess street. nov 7 tf

My wife, Miss Mary Ann Flynn, having left my bed and board without just cause, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting, as I will pay no debts of her contracting. C. E. Jevens. nov 7 3t*

We are carrying the day in the Photograph line. Read our offer from now until November 25th. Bring this advertisement with you, and we will give you 25c for it, and make you one dozen Cabinet Photographs, Carbonette finish, best work, for $3 75, and give you one 16x20 Crayon Portrait free of charge as a Christmas gift to our customers. We have secured the services of an expert Artist of Chicago to do our work during this time. Yours for good work, low prices, fine presents. Star Studio, 116 Market street. no 5 tf

Jno. Francisco's Band, First and Second Violin, Cornet and Harp, will furnish music for all occasions. Jno. Francisco leader, Residence 304 Walnut street. nov 1 1w

You can walk up A—— street without being disturbed by the clanging of untuned Pianos. We've been there, see! But on G—— street—never mind we are working there now, and everything will be harmonious shortly. Those on other streets will be attended to in regular order. Is your order in? John G. Russell, 413 Orange street. oc 29 tf

Oyster Roasts—Fine Oyster Roasts are now being served at the Atlantic View Hotel, Wrightsville Sound. See large sign over gate right at Seacoast depot. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to give our Roasts a trial. Obliging and polite attendance. Horses cared for. Bell 'Phone No. 12, Wrightsville. John H. Hanby, owner. oct 26 1m

Fresh Ground Graham and Rye Flour, Seed Rye, Wheat and all kinds mixed Feed for horses and cattle. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. 'Phones 92. oc 15 tf.

Tom and Jerry, Hot Spiced Rum, Hot Scotch, Hot Whiskey, Hot Lunch and Oysters every day at The Globe, No. 29 Market street oct 2 tf

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. F. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

Why not call on Marshall & Jones for your Blacksmith and Wheelwright work. Electrical Bell work and Plumbing at their General Repair Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets? Bell 'Phone 474, Inter-State 127 call 4. Competent workmen in every department. sep 24 tf

Large consignament Mt. Airy Apples in to-day. Choice stock for quick sale. Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Choice Confections. Best Up-country Butter always on hand. A. S. Winstead, Second street corner postoffice green. jy 20 tf

Wanted—Peaches, Apples, Plums, Grapes and all kinds of Fruits. Also, all kinds of Produce. Good prices and prompt returns guaranteed. B. B. Moore, Commission Merchant, No. 5 Dock street. je 11 tf

Turpentine Still and Fixtures complete, For sale low. The Worth Co. apr 7 tf

For Sale—At Burgaw, in good order, one 15 horse-power Engine and Boiler, one 50 saw Cotton Gin, one Brooks Press. Apply to The Worth Co. fe 28 tf

OUR CUSTOMERS Are Satisfied

with the prices we sell them goods; also, the price we get for their produce.

Cotton, Spirits, Timber, Tar, Eggs, Pork, Cattle are selling well. We keep posted on all change in markets

Ship us your Produce.

Nice Apples, Mullets, Cabbages

this week. Standard Groceries at Lowest Prices.

T. D. LOVE,
24 North Water Street.

Steamer for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Passengers, freight and towage. For rates apply to T D. LOVE, General Agent. nov 5 tf

All our old customers are coming back. Good Bread will sell.

30 Pound Loaves for $1.00.

PALACE BAKERY.
nov 4 tf

OLD NEWSPAPERS.

You Can Buy Old Newspapers in Quantities to Suit, at the STAR OFFICE

Suitable for Wrapping Paper and Excellent for Placing Under Carpet
no 24 tf

A MAN'S SHIRT

MAY BE OUT OF SIGHT,

but if it isn't comfortable he has very little peace. Shirt-making is a science. Everybody can't make good shirts any more than everybody can write a book. We have always

Prided ourselves on the superiority of our Shirts,

and it's a reputation we hope to maintain until the end of the chapter.
Come to us for genuine Shirt satisfaction.

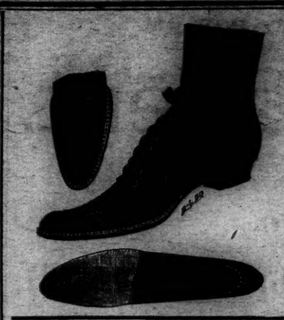
VONGLAHN & GIBSON.
nov 5 tf

Boys! Don't Forget!

A Nice New Hat Crowns the Gentleman! The place to buy is

Hamme, The Hatter

Latest styles and lowest prices.
nov 4 tf No. 36 North Front street.



MANNISH SHOES

FOR LADIES! Lace or Button

Thick Soles, Military Heels, Strong, Hygienic, Stylish, Easy, Durable, and yet Light, Neat and Comfortable. Especially adapted to street and general wear.

$2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

SOLOMON'S Shoe Store

We close at 7 o'clock, except Saturdays
nov 5 tf

EASILY TIED TIES AT EASILY MET PRICES.

You should see the recent innovations I have

for 50c.

Quite a combination of shapes and colorings.

"If you see it in our window you may know that it's correct."

A. SHRIER, Outfitter to Mankind.
nov 4 tf

WE ARE RUSHED

with orders. If you would have a THANKSGIVING Suit you had best drop in now and leave your order. Our lines of English, French and Scotch Tweeds and Fancy Cassimeres are still unbroken, owing to our very large stock.

We are showing the handsomest line of OVERCOAT goods ever on display in this city.

Owing to our having such an enormous stock of "Underwear" we will sell AT COST THIS WEEK, so as to reduce same.

Full line of Furnishing Goods up-to-date.

M. H. CURRAN,
107 PRINCESS STREET.
nov 4 tf

We Correct all Defects . . .

of the Eye by the appliance of the latest improved scientific methods.

We Preserve the Sight.

DINGELHOFF BROS.,
Scientific Opticians, Parlor No. 123 Market St.
nov 5 tf

One More Week THE REMOVAL SALE CONTINUES

at Gaylord's Shoe Store, 109 Market street. Don't miss the chance of getting your Winter Shoes for one third of their regular price. Ladies' Fine Shoes, patent up or tip of the same that old sell at $3.00 we will sell this week at $2.00.

All $1.25 Shoes this week, $1.00
All 1 50 " " " 1.25
All 2 00 " " " 1.50

Don't think because our prices are smaller than any one else that our Shoes are sorry. We carry just as good Shoes as can be found in the city. Don't miss this chance. A dollar saved is a dollar made.

I am yours, with bargains, at 109 Market street.

GEO. O. GAYLORD'S NEW SHOE STORE.
oct 21 tf

Save your Money by Depositing it in "THE WILMINGTON SAVINGS & TRUST CO."

The strongest Savings Bank in North Carolina. We will pay you 4 per cent. a year, compounded quarterly, on any amount over $5.00

RESULTS, If you deposit in "The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.:"

$ 1	a week	for 5	years	you will have	$ 286
$ 2	"	"	"	"	$ 5 2
$ 3	"	"	"	"	$ 858
$ 4	"	"	"	"	$1144
$ 5	"	"	"	"	$1430
$10	"	"	"	"	$2860
$15	"	"	"	"	$4290
$ 1	"	for 10	years	"	$ 637
$ 2	"	"	"	"	$1274
$ 3	"	"	"	"	$1911
$ 4	"	"	"	"	$ 548
$ 5	"	"	"	"	$3185
$10	"	"	"	"	$6370
$15	"	"	"	"	$9555

J. W. NORWOOD, PRESIDENT. H. WALTERS, VICE-PRESIDENT.
nov 5 tf JAS. S. WORTH, ACTING CASHIER.

AN EXASPERATED HUSBAND

is he who has his patience worn out with striving to obtain "a cup of coffee like his mother used to make" from his wife. All sensible housewives know that their coffee will be a success in exquisite flavor and fine body if they make it from our choice Laguyra, Mocha and Java Coffees. We have the finest stock of Coffees, Teas, Spices, Canned Goods, Relishes, etc., and Staple and Fancy Groceries to be found in Wilmington.

THE KING GROCERY CO.,

B F. KING, Manager.

'Phone 337. Fourth Street Bridge.
nov 4 tf

The National Bank of Wilmington.

Capital and Surplus, $118,000.

We offer you our services as Bankers. We use every effort in our power to serve the interests of our customers. Try us, and see if we do not please you in every way.

JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, PRESIDENT.
J. W. YATES, ACTING CASHIER.

Principal Correspondents.

THE NATIONAL PARK BANK, NEW YORK.
THE WESTERN NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK.
THE FOURTH STREET NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA.
THE MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, BALTIMORE.
oct 1 tf

A large and well selected stock of

Fancy and Staple Groceries. We ask special attention to our superior facilities for handling orders and giving them quick dispatch.

Get our prices before placing your orders for Nuts, Candies, C. C. Nuts, Raisins, &c.

HALL & PEARSALL,
sep 20 tf Wholesale Grocers.

WILMINGTON STEAM LAUNDRY,

Corner Front and Orange,

is the only Steam Laundry in the city where the washing and ironing are done by machinery and where it is done through all the different processes. When the clothing comes out it is CLEAN. We can do Domestic or Gloss finish, whichever you prefer. We run two wagons and collect and deliver all goods. We employ about 22 hands on our pay roll running from ninety to one hundred dollars a week. Our last week about $100 a year. All this is left in Wilmington. How much does the Chinaman leave here? Think of it! Then when you want laundry work done and call up Bell 'Phone 29, Inter-State 209.

EDWARD WRIGHT, Manager.
nov 2 1m